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## ANOTHER STAVISKY AFFAIR EXPOSURE THREATENED

## MOBILISATION FOR WAR IN PERU AND COLOMBIA

### FRENCH AIR EXPERT KILLED

Only Victim of Minor  
Crash

Paris, April 3.  
Vice-Admiral Martin, the  
French air expert, was killed  
to-day when an amphibian  
plane in which he was flying  
crashed while alighting  
on the Seine near Ablons.  
The pilot and mechanic  
were both uninjured.—  
Reuter.

### HUGE AMERICAN DEFICIT

MR. MORGENTHAU  
WORRIED

LATEST TREASURY  
RETURNS

Washington, Apr. 3.  
American Government finances  
are in a state which may cause a  
considerable recasting of Mr.  
Morgenthau's ideas regarding his  
programme for the immediate future.

The Treasury's latest returns of  
revenue and expenditure, showing a  
deficit of \$2,500,000,000 in the first  
nine months of the current fiscal  
year, are causing concern in Ad-  
ministration circles.

Mr. Morgenthau, the Secretary  
of the Treasury Department, has  
announced that he has been study-  
ing the problem of liquor revenue,  
which has fallen below the Es-  
timates.

The Treasury is considering whe-  
ther lower tariffs might bring in-  
creased revenue.  
It was indicated that no decision  
has been reached, but recommen-  
dations are likely to be submitted to  
Congress in due course.

#### RE-FINANCING.

The weight of the deficit also  
affects the Treasury's re-financing  
plans.

An important announcement in  
this sphere is expected to be made  
shortly and market circles generally  
expect the issue of long-term bonds  
or notes in exchange for the fourth  
series of Liberty Bonds.

It is considered possible that  
there will be a limited cash offering  
as a safeguard in case only part of  
the Liberty Bonds are returned for  
exchange.—Reuter.

### U.S. CONVERSION OFFER

FOURTH LIBERTY  
BOND EXCHANGE

Washington, April 3.  
The Treasury has issued details  
of an offer of ten to twelve-year  
3½ per cent. Treasury Bonds in  
exchange for \$1,000,000,000 of  
Fourth Liberty Bonds maturing  
on April 15, and \$244,000,000 of  
Treasury Notes maturing on May  
2.

No cash subscriptions to the  
issue will be accepted.—Reuter.

### MARYSE HILTZ OFF AGAIN

LEAVES SHANGHAI  
FOR NANKING

Shanghai, April 4.  
Mlle. Maryse Hiltz took off on  
a flight to Nanking this morning  
after a week of sight-seeing in  
Shanghai.  
The aviatrix announced that she  
proposes to attempt a direct flight  
to Canton from Nanking.—Reuter.

### MYSTERY DOCUMENT FOUND

LEADING PEOPLE  
INVOLVED

PUBLICATION  
LIKELY

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Paris, April 3.

Certain persons prominent  
in political circles are again  
trembling in their shoes as  
the result of a fresh develop-  
ment in the Stavisky affair.

A mysterious document which  
was found in the possession of a  
man recently arrested is expected  
to figure prominently shortly in  
connection with the investigations  
into the Stavisky scandals.

The document is said to seriously  
involve a former member of the  
French Cabinet, several members  
of the Chamber of Deputies and a  
famous Inspector of the Surete  
Generale.

It is believed that the police,  
acting on the instructions of the  
Government intend shortly to issue  
the text of the document for  
publication, exposing the names  
of the persons involved.—Reuter's  
Special Service.

### ARMY OFFICER MARRIED

PRETTY WEDDING  
YESTERDAY

St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon  
Tong, was the scene of a pretty  
wedding yesterday, when Miss  
Valerie Konigsberg, of Shang-  
hai, was married to Lieut. P. R. M.  
Widen of the 2nd Battalion, East  
Lancashire Regiment.

The bride, who was charmingly  
attired in white with a long train,  
was given away by Mr. G. H.  
Potts, and had Mrs. Darbelstein as  
her bridesmaid.

Lt. M. Manlove of the East Lan-  
cashire Regiment, was the best  
man. The Rev. Father Carroll  
officiated.

After the ceremony a reception  
was held at the Rose Room of the  
Peninsula Hotel, at which many  
guests including Col. Marsh, the  
Commanding Officer of the East  
Lancashire Regiment, and brother  
officers of the bride-groom were  
present.

### HOLY YEAR INDULGENCES

PAPAL BULL ISSUED  
BY VATICAN

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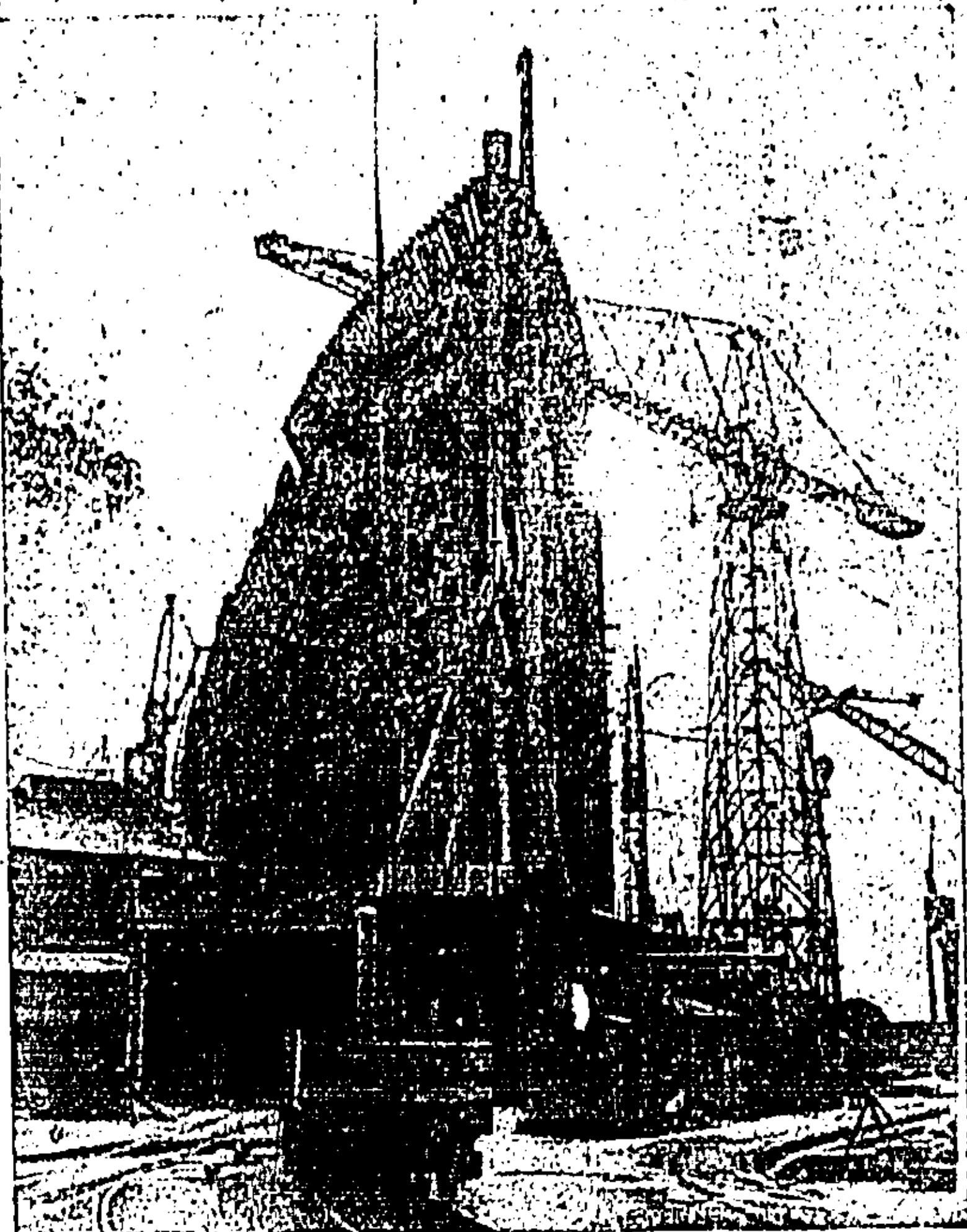
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Vatican City, April 3.

A Papal Bull has been issued  
extending Holy Year Indulgences  
to the world.

The Bull instructs Bishops to  
name special churches in each  
diocese which Catholics must visit  
to obtain the Indulgences.

The Papal Message also contains  
a warning against the spread of  
atheism in the world.—Reuter's  
Special Service.



The new Cunarder, No. 534, lying in John Brown's yard on the Clyde, on which work was resumed yesterday after postponement for two years.

### LONDON FUNDING OPERATION

BIG LOAN ISSUE  
PROSPECTUS

MORE SAVINGS  
IN INTEREST

London, Apr. 3.  
A large Government funding  
operation is announced to-night.  
It takes the form of a three per  
cent. funding loan, 1939/1969, an  
issue of £150,000,000.

On April 15th the Government is  
under contract to repay £105,000,-  
000 of four per cent. Treasury  
bonds, and the present time is re-  
garded as suitable for issuing the  
new loan.

To-morrow morning there will  
be published, in consequence, the  
prospectus of the new three per  
cent. funding loan, consisting of  
an issue of £150,000,000 with a  
life of from twenty-five to thirty-  
five years. The price of issue is  
98 per cent, and the straight yield  
of interest is 3.1/3 per cent. The  
list of applications will be opened  
on Thursday April 5th and will  
be closed on or before the follow-  
ing day.

#### SINKING FUND FEATURE

An interesting feature of the  
prospectus is the provision for a  
Sinking Fund. Each half year,  
the Government has undertaken  
to set aside a sum equal to two  
per cent, of the nominal amount  
of the loan originally created.  
Out of this, there will be paid in-  
terest on the loan for the half  
year, and the balance will form a  
Sinking Fund to be used for pur-  
chasing loan for cancellation of it  
stands at or below par.

If it stands above par, the Sink-  
ing Fund money will either be  
used in the same way or other-  
wise invested.  
Any addition of the loan not pre-  
viously redeemed will be repaid at  
par in 1969, but the Government  
reserve the right to redeem the  
loan in whole or part at any time  
after 1959.

#### BIG SAVING.

Insofar as the proceeds of the  
new loan are used for repaying the  
four per cent. bonds, the present  
operation will result in a saving  
of interest to the Treasury at a  
rate of just under £1,000,000 per  
annum.

An additional £45,000,000, as be-  
tween £105,000,000 and £150,000,-  
000, of the new issue, will be  
available for any purpose of float-  
ing debt or of reducing Treasury  
bills.—British Wireless.

### PIPERS HAIL THE DAY ON CLYDEBANK

MARCH WORKERS TO  
NEW CUNARD

London, April 3.  
A band of pipers, playing a  
Scottish marching tune, led the  
first contingent of men to resume  
work on the giant Cunarder known  
at present as No. 534, to the build-  
ing yard of Messrs. John Brown  
and Company at Clydebank this  
morning.

It was a notable day on Clyde-  
bank for no work has been done  
on the great Cunarder for over two  
years.

To-day only 400 men began work,  
but the numbers will steadily in-  
crease until in a few weeks 6,000  
men will be employed on her.

At present the shell is complete  
except for the stern and it is hoped  
that the vessel will be ready for  
launching in the autumn.

In preparation for that event,  
£35,000 has been spent in widening  
and deepening the Clyde.  
The vessel will have a tonnage  
of 73,000 and will be the largest  
and probably the fastest in world.

The resumption of work follows  
the passing of the legislation em-  
powering the Government to ad-  
vance up to £2½ millions to  
Cunard-White Star Merger Com-  
pany.—British Wireless.

### DANCE BAN SHANGHAI ORDER

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4.  
The Municipality of Greater  
Shanghai has issued an order pro-  
hibiting "fancy" dancing.  
Dancing has long been pro-  
hibited in Peking by a similar  
order issued by the Peking  
Municipality.—Central News.

### JAPANESE PLANES SIGHTED

TWO FLY OVER NORTH  
CHINA

Peking, April 4.  
It is officially reported that two  
Japanese planes were sighted fly-  
ing over the Fong District, some  
distance to the north of Tongshan,  
three or four times on Monday.—  
Central News.

### LETICIA AFFAIR FLARES-UP

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS  
BROKEN OFF

TROOPS MOVING

London, April 4.

Fresh war clouds are  
looming ominously in the  
Leticia region, and the storm  
may break at any time.

Both Peru and Colombia  
are mobilising with a view to  
settling their rival claims by  
force of arms.

The threat of another war in  
South America, in addition to the  
Bolivian-Paraguayan dispute in  
the Gran Chaco, arises from the  
breakdown of the peace nego-  
tiation at Rio de Janeiro between  
the representatives of Peru and  
Colombia, who have been trying to  
adjust their differences concerning  
the Amazonian territory of Leticia.

It will be recalled that Leticia  
was seized in September, 1932, by  
a band of Peruvian filibusters,  
whose action was afterwards  
endorsed by the Peruvian Govern-  
ment.

#### LEAGUE INTERVENTION.

Fighting between the two  
countries occurred almost im-  
mediately, but the hostilities were  
brought to an end in May last year  
as the result of the intervention of  
the League of Nations.

Since that time, a League Com-  
mission has been administering the  
negotiations for the settlement  
of the dispute proceeded.

With news of the breakdown of  
discussions, comes a report that  
both countries are moving military  
forces towards Leticia in readiness  
for a resumption of hostilities.—  
Reuter.

### IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION

ATTRACTIVE LONDON  
DISPLAY

London, Apr. 3.

The Ideal Home Exhibition,  
which has become an increasingly  
popular annual event at Olympia,  
London, was opened to-day.

The latest developments in hous-  
ing, decorating, furnishing and  
garden-making make a most interest-  
ing and attractive display, and one  
feature of great prominence this  
year is a tower made of non-corro-  
sive Sheffield steel material, for  
which innumerable uses are found  
and which promises to effect a re-  
volution in certain departments of  
steel manufacture.—British Wire-  
less.

### EX-AMBASSADOR BEREAVED

DEATH OF LADY  
SYBIL GRAHAM

London, Apr. 3.

The death occurred in London to-  
day, following an operation, of  
Lady Sybil Graham, wife of Sir  
Ronald Graham, until his recent  
retirement British Ambassador in  
Rome.

Lady Sybil was a daughter of the  
Earl of Midleton.—British Wire-  
less.

The P. and O. liner Ranchi, from  
Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m. on  
Friday.

### TEXTILE PARLEY BREAKDOWN

Governments To Talk  
Over Situation

London, Apr. 3.

A communication receiv-  
ed by the Board of Trade,  
from the Japanese Embassy  
in London intimates the  
readiness of the Japanese  
Government to discuss with  
the United Kingdom Gov-  
ernment the situation  
arising out of the break-  
down of the recent negotia-  
tions between the delegates  
of the British and Japanese  
textile industries.—British  
Wireless.

### BRITAIN GOING BACK TO WORK

REDUCTIONS IN  
UNEMPLOYMENT

COMFORTING  
FIGURES

London, Apr. 3.

Another large reduction  
in the number of unemployed  
persons in the British Isles  
is announced to-night.

Figures issued by the Labour  
Ministry show that on March 19  
there were approximately 10,068,-  
000 insured persons aged 16 to  
64 in employment in Great Brit-  
ain. This was 117,000 more than  
the month before and 644,000 more  
than the year before.

Improvement in employment  
extends to nearly all the principal  
industries.

Those in which it is most  
marked include building and  
public works contracting, tail-  
oring, iron and steel manufacture,  
engineering and ironfounding,  
shipbuilding and shiprepairing,  
metal goods manufacture, motor  
vehicle building, coalmining, print-  
ing and bookbinding, the cotton  
industry, the distributive trades  
and shipping, dock and harbour  
services.

There was a slight decline in  
employment in the wool textile  
industry.

#### UNEMPLOYED FIGURES.

The numbers of unemployed  
persons on the employment ex-  
change registers in Great Britain  
were 1,796,787 wholly unemployed,  
312,622 temporarily stopped, and  
32,168 normally in casual em-  
ployment, making a total of 2,201,-  
577.

This was 116,332 less than the  
month before and 674,607 than the  
year before.

The total on March 19 com-  
prised 1,808,290 men, 49,212 boys,  
304,523 women and 39,552 girls.

### STATE AID FOR SUGAR INDUSTRY

COMMITTEE SET UP  
IN ENGLAND

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London, April 4.  
The Government announces the  
appointment of a Committee to  
inquire into the condition of the  
sugar industry in the United King-  
dom, including home-grown beet  
sugar and imported sugar.

The well-known King's Counsel,  
Mr. Wilfrid Greene, will be chair-  
man of the Committee.  
Its task, in particular, will be  
to make recommendations in regard  
to the application of State aid in  
the event of re-organisation.—  
Reuter's Special Service.

### LIVERPOOL SPOILS

TWO POINTS AT  
HUDDERSFIELD

HOME SOCCER

London, Apr. 3.

Fresh keenness has been lent  
to the championship and relega-  
tion struggles as the result of to-  
day's games in the First Division  
of the Football League.

Huddersfield furnished the chief  
sensations—being guilty of another  
such lapse as caused their elimi-  
nation from the Cup by Northamp-  
ton. Lowly-placed Liverpool  
defeated them at Huddersfield by  
two clear goals.

Birmingham, also struggling  
against relegation, handsomely  
defeated Sheffield Wednesday and  
the chief anxieties at the foot of  
the table have been handed on to  
Newcastle United.

In the Second Division, Brad-  
ford, who during the first half of  
the season were nearer the bottom  
than the top, definitely entered  
into the promotion race by a  
smashing win against Burnley.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	3	Wednesday	0
Huddersfield	0	Liverpool	2
Leicester	1	Wolves	1

#### League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Arsenal	36	19	10	7	63	40	50
Huddersfield	36	19	10	7	70	50	48
Tottenham	38	10	7	12	67	46	45
Derby	37	16	10	11	63	43	42
Sunderland	37	14	11	12	75	50	39
Blackburn	38	16	7	15	64	72	39
Wednesday	37	16	8	14	54	67	38
Manchester C.	36	12	13	12	52	61	38
Everton	36	14	10	12	54	67	38
Stoke	37	14	9	14	50	60	37
West Brom.	37	14	8	15	67	63	36
Leeds	36	14	7	15	61	58	35
Portsmouth	36	12	11	13	42	49	35
Sheff. Wed.	35	12	11	13	42	49	35
Wolves	37	12	11	14	68	77	35
Middlesbrough	37	14	6	17	60	73	34
Aston Villa	36	18	7	19	60	69	33
Liverpool	38	12	9	17	70	79	33
Newcastle	38	9	13	16	60	69	31
Birmingham	37	10	11	16	76	83	31
Sheff. U.	37	11	7	19	55	60	29
Sheff. U.	37	11	6	20	54	64	28

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	5	Burnley	0
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#### League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Grimsby	37	24	5	8	59	52	53
Preston N. E.	37	19	6	12	60	49	44
Bolton	37	19	6	12	71	63	44
Brentford	37	18	7	12	74	65	43
Bradford	36	20	2	14	61	42	42
Port Vale	37	17	6	14	63	51	40
Bradford C.	37	18	4	16	60	60	40
West Ham	37	15	10	12	70	62	40
Blackpool	37	14	11	12	66	51	39
Burnley	37	16	6	15	60	62	38
Plymouth	37	13	12	12	63	60	38
Hull	37	15	10	12	51	56	38
Oldham	37	14	9	14	69	67	37
Bury	37	14	8	15	61	61	37
Fulham	37	14	7	16	43	57	36
Southampton	36	13	8	15	45	45	36
Notts County	37	11	10	16	50	56	32
Notts Forest	37	11	9	17	63	63	31
Swansea	37	12	8	17	52	58	31
Manchester U.	37	12	8	17	62	58	30
Lincoln	36	8	11	17	34	50	27
Middlesbrough	37	8	7	22	38	64	24



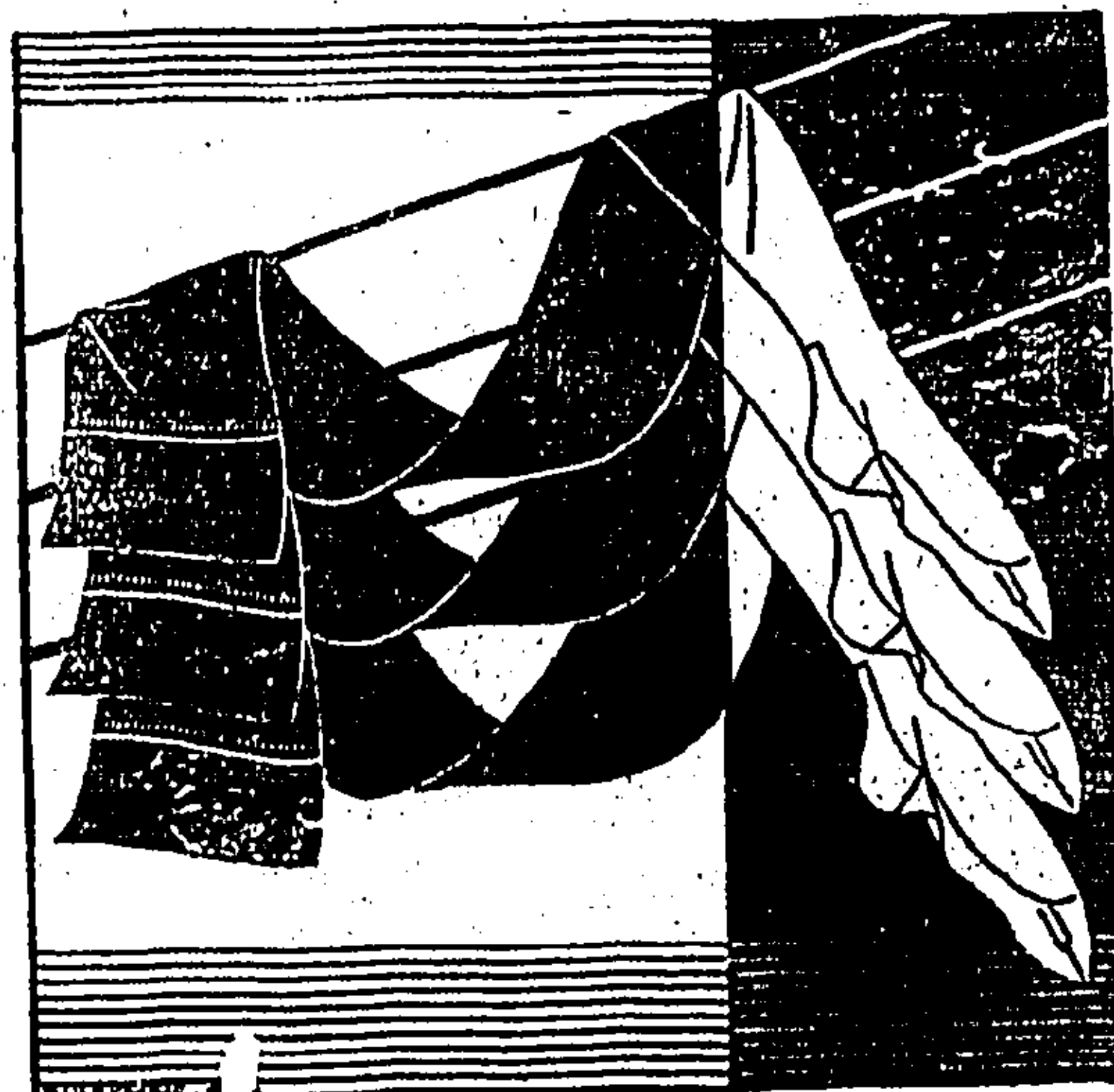
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WHITER**



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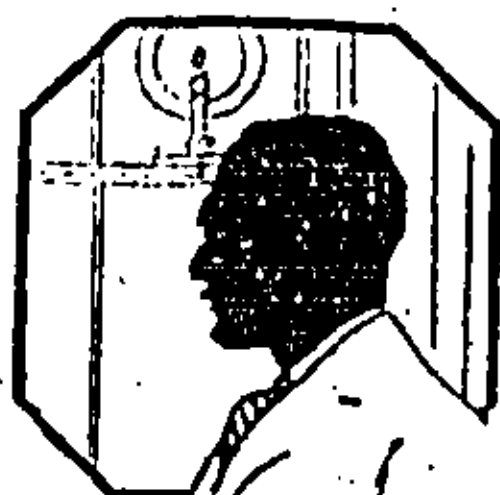
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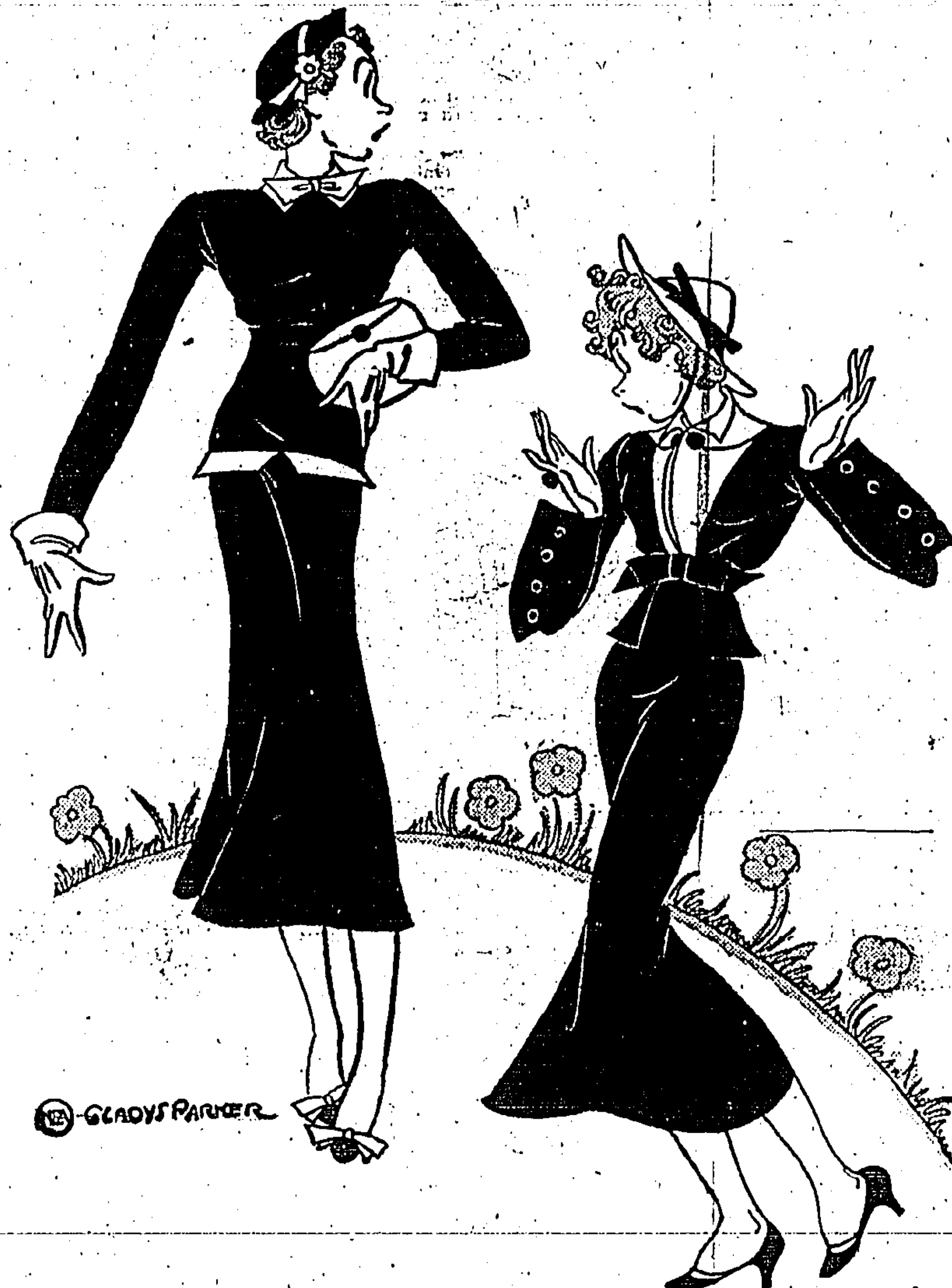


## THE WORLD OF WOMEN



**They'll Snap You Out of the Doldrums  
Like a Tonic, These Spring Frocks**

**COLLAR AND CUFF SET GIVES AGED SUIT NEW LIFE;  
WHITE PIQUE WITH BLACK IS CHIC COMBINATION**



About the middle of March came that annual slump. Window panes look grimy and complexions gray. The pique forming the tiny collar, tie, cuffs and hipband is its only decoration. Although this little number is of dateless chic, it should bring in innumerable engagements.

Crisp white pique with black always makes a most satisfactory first frock for spring. For while it does nicely under the winter coat, it's fresh, starry appearance will carry you suavely on into the warmer months when a coat is no longer necessary.

"White Tie," at the left of the sketch, is classic simplicity itself. The pique forming the tiny collar, tie, cuffs and hipband is its only decoration. Although this little number is of dateless chic, it should bring in innumerable engagements.

The dress at the right of the sketch has a misleading two-piece appearance. It's really convenient all-in-one with an unusual patent leather belt topping the trick little peplum. The windblown gilet of the white pique unsnaps for laundering. Linked buttons fasten the neck (and sleeves).

In the cause of economy you can make any simple black dress into a brand new outfit by adding a white vest of linen or pique. These are sleeveless and tailored buttoning down the front.

Striking and unusual collar and cuff sets (any they are flooding the shops just now) of linen, pique or organdie will also add new life to an aged frock.

**GLORIFYING  
YOURSELF.  
Use Pumice Stone to  
Remove Foot Callouses**

By Alicia Hart

Feet have a definite relation to health and beauty. They should be given as good care as your

hands, arms, face or any other part of your body.

Scrub your feet each day with a brush and plenty of soap suds. Then dry them with a coarse towel, being particularly careful to remove all moisture between the toes. If you have a box of antiseptic foot powder, dust between your toes with it.

Then, twice a week, manure your toes and treat callouses and other foot disorders. A piece of

pumice is invaluable for removing small callouses on heels and bottoms of feet. If you have a corn or a bunion, see a foot doctor and have him treat it.

Boilin your pedicure by massaging each foot with a rich nourishing cream. Rub the cream on your palms and then, starting at the toes rub upward to the ankles.

When you have finished, wipe off the surplus cream and begin to manure toes and toe nails.

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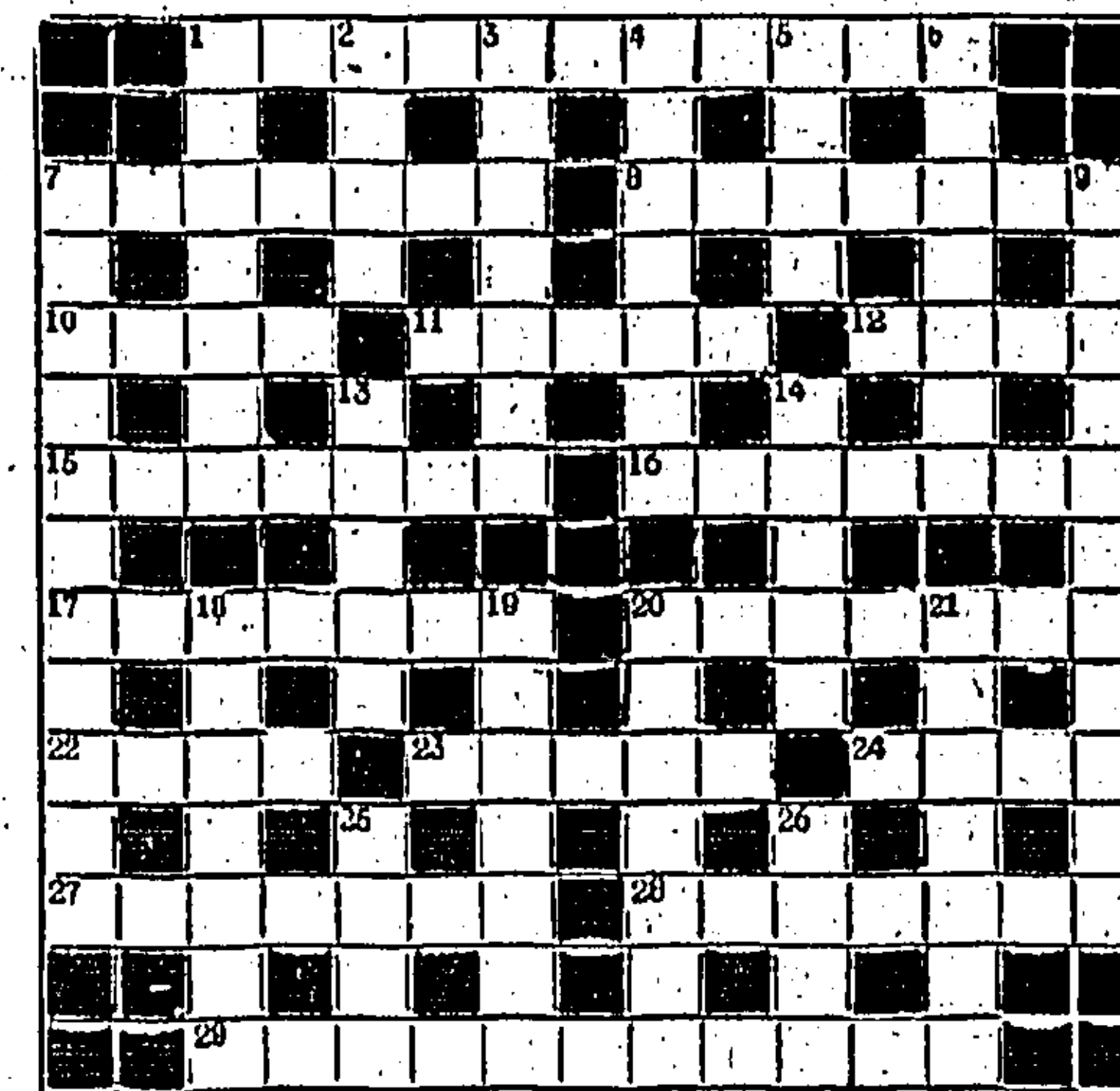
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## OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



### Across

- The word's ire is likely to lead to some rough stuff. (Two words.)
- Foreigner.
- You'd naturally expect these sportsmen to take a strong line.
- Issue with one item altered.
- In any thing, might betoken a downpour.
- A famous motto word.
- Its study should help to keep in good condition.
- The name of some lassie.
- By which the "Londonderry Air" is often played.
- Ripped? Better, the high wind no doubt.
- Just one bit of advice to a jumper-maker.
- Croatian town that doesn't seem to carry much weight, in an English rendering.
- South Sea Isles.
- Reduce credit due.
- You should send it in writing; you'll find it wise in the end.
- For example, lectures on economy in Aberdeen.

### Down

- Cobbler's job, though it sounds like the doctor's.
- You and I in the fleet would spell disaster.
- Genuine in a naïve form.
- Bar where you'd expect to find tumblers.
- A marginal word.
- Banks of a stream where it seems one is likely to settle. (Two words.)

- You'll have to try something un-hackneyed or break this to discover Ford's hunger. (Two words.)
- Sure to agree in time.
- One more and it would be double.
- To take what isn't his'n.
- To put us to sleep, Hamlet suggests a packing-needle!
- One over the eight well shaken, and one under: result? more intoxicated.
- A vehicle in front helps to hinder.
- Olives, perhaps.
- Fish.
- Often radiates sole with variations.

### Yesterday's Solution

**PHOMISCUOUS**  
CASHEN NCH  
OVERMUCH FLORIN  
NUSUEYAT  
CADIABACHSMEB  
EUFUEFE  
NBIASOSCLAR  
TBSLE  
ROADHOGPLANL  
ATRYOIJEA  
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The same night Pabilito arrives a man he has seen retreating a child. He thinks the man is dead. BEAU and LOTTIE, two children, see this. The next thing Pabilito knows he is in a motor boat with these two. Beau has a gun and tells Pabilito to head the boat for Cuba.

## CHAPTER XIII

The sea was calm and Field had renounced his pride in the "Silver Dart." Soon Pabilito saw what the man and girl beside him could not see—an indent of water cupped between jagged rocks and leading upward to a deserted stretch of beach. Beyond the yellow sand was a deep green tangle of tropic jungle.

The water was growing shallow and the going was perilous, Pabilito knew. Lottie and Beau quarrelled mildly, unaware of the danger. Pabilito turned the speed low. Lottie was saying, "What the hell are we going to do with this here leviathan?"

"Turn it over and hope to God it'll drift to sea," Beau answered. "It's a damn shame," the girl muttered. "It's a swell boat!"

"It wouldn't be so swell to be caught in it," Beau told her. The boat scraped a rock and poised for a second, far tilted to one side. Lottie's eyes grew frightened but she made no sound; Beau swore; Pabilito turned off the engine, stepped out on the rock, pushed the boat off and leaped back into it. Once more he turned

the power on. They could not go much farther, he knew, but he wanted to be well out of the water in which sharks might be swimming before he began to pilot the crew ashore.

Again the boat struck a rock, this time squarely under the prow and so sharply that it vibrated from the shock. Again Beau swore loudly; again Lottie made no sound but her hands gripped one another until her knuckles were white.

Pabilito saw a natural channel ahead as he stepped out this time. If he could make it he could get within 100 feet of shore. Slowly and carefully he nosed the boat through an opening as Beau screeched high and shrill that he couldn't make it. Then Pabilito turned off the engine to sit back.

"All change at Manhattan Junction," Lottie said.

"We'll get you to shore and send the boat out," Beau said, eyes on Lottie. Pabilito rolled up his flared trousers, sitting them in order to pull them high on his thighs. Then he stepped into the water. "I'll carry you," he said to Lottie. She smiled as she held out her arms and he lifted her over the edge of the boat.

"Oh, baby!" she murmured ecstatically as her arms tightened around his neck. "That there Sir Walter Raleigh musta took lessons from you!"

It was a difficult feat, getting Lottie to land. She was heavy and the way was perilous. The rocks were slippery and the sands, washed by the tide, were shifting and deceiving. The sun beat down fiercely and Beau swore as he followed. Once he fell and once Pabilito slipped but he did not fall.

At last he set Lottie down on the beach, wiping his dripping brow with a shirt sleeve.

"Thanks for the buggy ride," he heard and, looking down at her, managed to give her a wan smile.

"Hike for cover, kid," Beau ordered. Rather stiffly and after a warm glance at Pabilito the girl made her way up the precipitous beach toward the tangle of green.

Again Pabilito and Beau waded, pulled by undertow and betrayed by the changing levels of the sea bed. At last they reached the rocky beach and found more difficulties. How to get it into the open was their problem. The wash of the waves threatened to bring it back to cover.

Beau stood swearing which was his way of showing that he was balked. Pabilito, eyes on the boat, considered.

"I'll take her out," he said at length, "put on a low power and head her toward Key West. I'll run out enough gasoline so that she'll go only 10 or 15 miles. Then if she washes back it isn't likely it will be to this shore."

"Hell!" said Beau admiringly. "We can string up a signal." Pabilito went on, "that will look as if we had been calling for help." He crawled into the boat as he spoke. Working quickly, he

clad to a small improvised mast his broad scarlet sail.

"How are you going to get back?" Beau asked.

"Swim and wade I guess." "Ain't there sharks around here?"

"I suppose so but what are we going to do about it?" "Say, you got your nerve!"

Pabilito turned on a low speed then and nosed the boat through the rocks once more. When he was in the open at least he stopped to exhaust the gasoline and sense his direction. Then he started the craft, stepped quickly to the prow and leaped into the churning water.

When he could think of anything except the struggle with the churning water and rocks he felt Beau's hand.

"All right!" Beau gasped. He had swum out to meet Pabilito. "It's not much farther," he said a moment later. Then Pabilito, with a turn, found the uneven sea bed. At last they were wading, driven and pulled and twisted by the water, but making headway.

Lottie, despite Beau's order, stood on the beach, waiting for them.

"Honest to Gawd," she said as they joined her, weak and heavy with water. "Honest to Gawd that



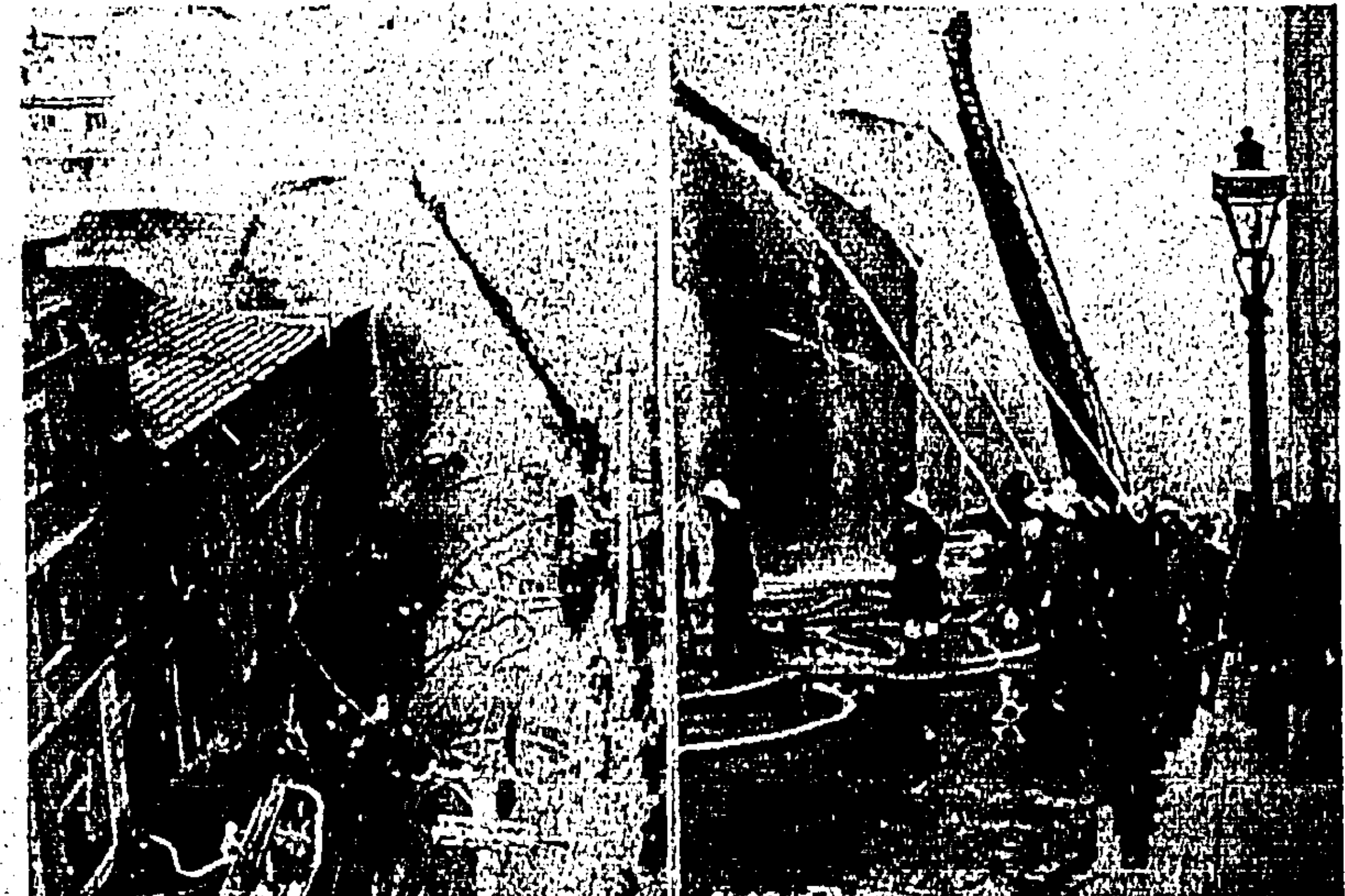
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Photograph taken at the fire which occurred at the Egg Produce Company godowns on Whangpoo Road in Shanghai last week.



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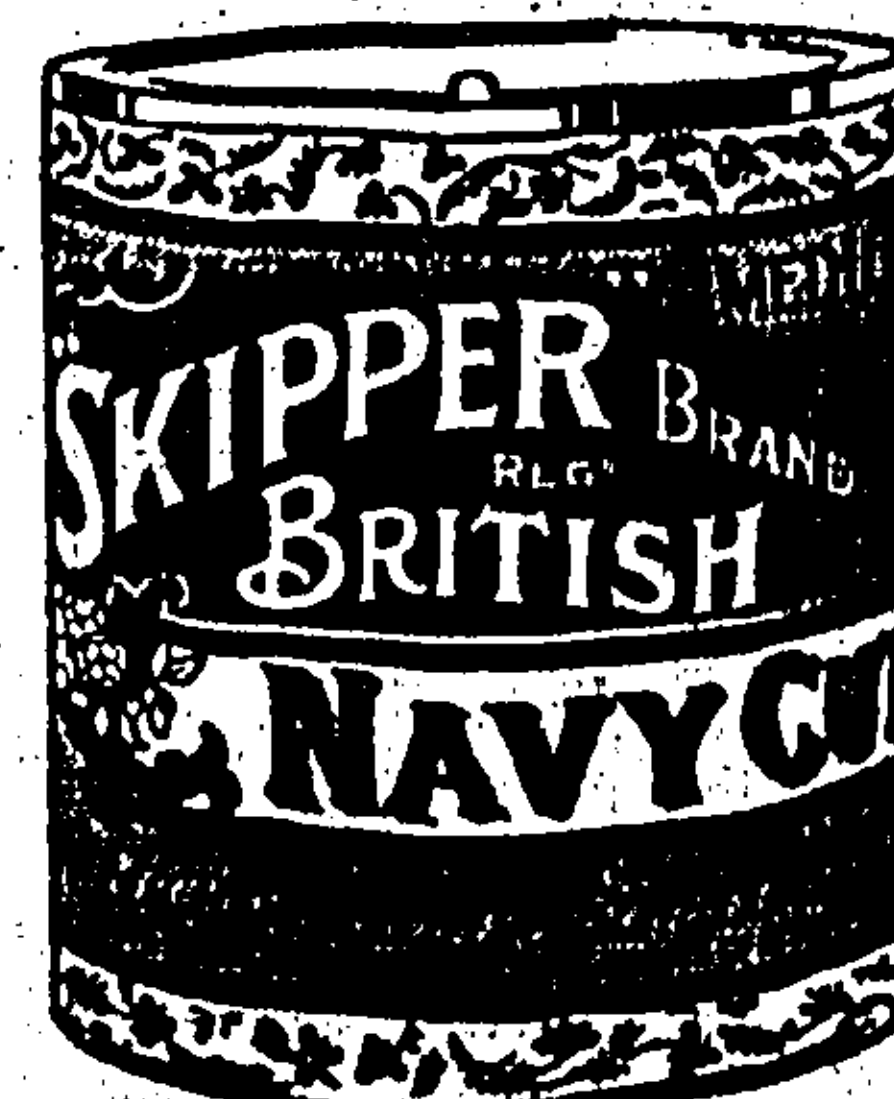
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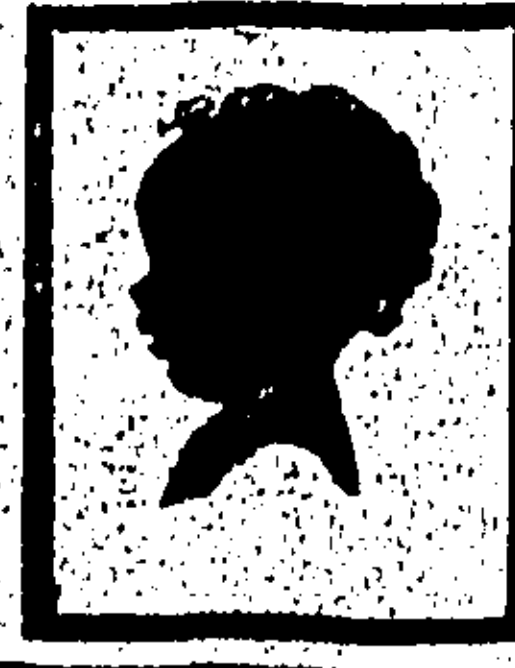


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## T. A. MARTIN.

Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 4th April, 1934.

## NOTICE

Mr. Maurice Murray Watson has been admitted a partner in our Firm as from the date hereof. (signed) JOHNSON STOKES & MASTEL.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1934.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 4th April to 25th April, 1934, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

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Hongkong, 26th March, 1934.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday the 6th April, 1934, to Thursday, the 12th April, 1934. Both Days inclusive, during which period No Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

H. DA LUZ,

Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1934.

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Hongkong, March 30th, 1934.

## NOTICE

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## DEACONS,

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Hongkong, 1st April, 1934.

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## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

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 H.K. Bank, \$1830/35 a. n.  
 H.K. Bank, (London), \$138 n.  
 Chartered Bank, \$10 1/4 n.  
 Mercantile Bank, A. & M. \$28 n.

**Insurance.**  
 Mercantile Bank C., \$13 n.  
 East Asia Bank, \$93 n.  
 Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.  
 China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.  
 China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

**Shipping.**  
 Canton Ins., \$316 n.  
 Union Ins., \$575 a.  
 China Underwriters, \$1.15 b.  
 China Fire, \$525 n.  
 H.P. Fire Ins., \$265 n.  
 International Asso., S. \$6.20 n.

**Mining.**  
 Douglas, \$35 1/4 b.  
 H.K. Steamboats, \$12 1/2 n.  
 Indo-China, (Prof.), \$30 n.  
 Indo-China, (Def.), \$38 n.  
 Shells (Bearer), \$1/10 1/2 n.  
 Union Waterworks, \$11 n.

**Metals.**  
 Antamoks, 72 cts. n.  
 Balatocs, \$35 n.  
 Baguio Gold, 40 cts. n.  
 Benguet, \$36 n.  
 Benguet Exploration, 25 cts. n.  
 Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.  
 Big Wedge, 12 1/2 cts. n.  
 Gold Creek, \$3 1/2 n.  
 Ipo Mining, \$6 n.  
 Ilogons, \$7 n.  
 Kailan, 23 3/4 n.

**Langkats (Single), \$18 n.**  
 Shai. Explorations, Sh. \$4.65 n.  
 Shai. Loans, \$5.50 n.  
 Raubs, \$14.25 b.  
 Venz: Goldfields, \$6.50 n.

**Docks, etc.**  
 H.K. Wharves, \$114 n.  
 H.K. Docks, \$14 1/2 b.  
 S. China Motors A., \$2 n.  
 S. China Motors B., \$8 n.

**Providents (old), \$2.80 n.**  
 Providents (new), 75 cts. n.  
 Hongkew, Sh. \$351 n.  
 New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.  
 Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$138 n.

**Cotton Mills.**  
 Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$12.30 n.  
 Shai Cottons (old) sh. \$76 n.  
 Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$46 n.  
 Zeong Sings, Sh. \$18 1/2 n.  
 Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$75 n.

**Lands, Hotels, etc.**  
 H. and S. Hotels, \$5.90 a.  
 H.K. Lands, \$66 a.  
 Shai Lands, Sh. \$24 n.  
 Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.

**Humphreys, \$11.20 n.**  
 H.K. Realities, \$6 b.  
 Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.  
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 China Realities, Sh. \$16 1/2 n.  
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Manila	Emp. of Japan	April 4.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kingyuan	April 4.
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers)		
London, 8th March—and Parcels,		
1st March	Naldora	April 4.
Australia and Manila	Nellora	April 4.
Calcutta and Straits	Sirdhana	April 4.
Japan	Brisbane Maru	April 5.
Amoy and Shanghai	Szechuen	April 5.
Straits	Atreus	April 6.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 7th March)	Pres. Jefferson	April 6.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 18th March)	Ranchi	April 6.
Saigon	Chenoneaux	April 6.
Straits	Eumaeus	April 8.
Australia and Manila	Changto	April 9.
Manila	Pres. Taft	April 9.
Shanghai	Antenor	April 10.
Shanghai	Portches	April 10.
Straits	Terukuni Maru	April 10.
Japan and Shanghai	Ixon	April 11.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 24th March)	Emp. of Asia	April 12.
Shanghai	Conto Rosso	April 12.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 23rd March)	Pres. Hoover	April 12.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Straits	Solviken	Wed., April 4, 1.30 p.m.
Saigon and Parcels for Germany via Grandon		Wed., April 4, 2.30 p.m.
Hamburg		
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., April 4, 3.30 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Brisbane Maru	Thurs., April 5, 5.00 a.m.
(Due Brisbane, 18th April)		
Reg.,	Apr. 5, Noon.	
Letters,	Apr. 6, 12.45 p.m.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru	Thurs., April 5, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Naldora	Thurs., April 5, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangen	Thurs., April 5, 4 p.m.
Sandakan	Mausang	Fri., April 6, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Pinching	Fri., April 6, 2 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhoi and Pakhoi	Kingyuan	Fri., April 6, Noon
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Emp. of Japan		Fri., April 6.
U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia	Reg.,	Apr. 6, 5 p.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C. 24th April)	Letters,	Apr. 6, 10 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Chenoneaux	Sat., Apr. 7, 5 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranchi	Sat., Apr. 7.
(Due Marseilles, 4th May.)		
K. P. O.		
Parcels,	Apr. 6, 4.30 p.m.	
Reg.,	Apr. 7, 9 a.m.	
Letters,	Apr. 7, 10 a.m.	
Letters for "Bandoeng-Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Ranchi	Sat., Apr. 7.
K. P. O.		
Reg.,	Apr. 6, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters,	Apr. 6, 5 p.m.	
Straits and Calcutta	Kumsang	Sat., Apr. 7.
Parcels,	Apr. 7, 1 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Apr. 7, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canlon Maru	Sun., April 8, 9 a.m.
Fort Bayard, Hohow and Pakhoi	Tonkin	Tues., April 10, 1 p.m.
Haliphong	Canton	Tues., April 10, 2 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Portches	Tues., April 10.
K. P. O.		
Reg.,	Apr. 10, Noon	
Letters,	Apr. 10, Noon	
Saigon and Europe via Marseilles	Portches	Tues., April 10.
(Due Marseilles, 11th May.)		
K. P. O.		
Reg.,	Apr. 10, 1 p.m.	
Letters,	Apr. 10, 1 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Hai Ning	Tues., April 10.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Pres. Taft		
Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 1st May)	Parcels,	Apr. 10, 3 p.m.
	Reg.,	Apr. 10, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters,	Apr. 10, 5 p.m.
Straits and Europe via Marseilles Antenor		Wed., April 11.
(Due Marseilles, 9th May)		
K. P. O.		
Reg.,	Apr. 11, 9 a.m.	
Letters,	Apr. 11, 10 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Conto Rosso		Thurs., April 12.
East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi (Due Brindisi, 3rd May)		
K.P.O.		
Reg.,	Apr. 12, 3 p.m.	
Letters,	Apr. 12, 3 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., April 12, 3.30 p.m.

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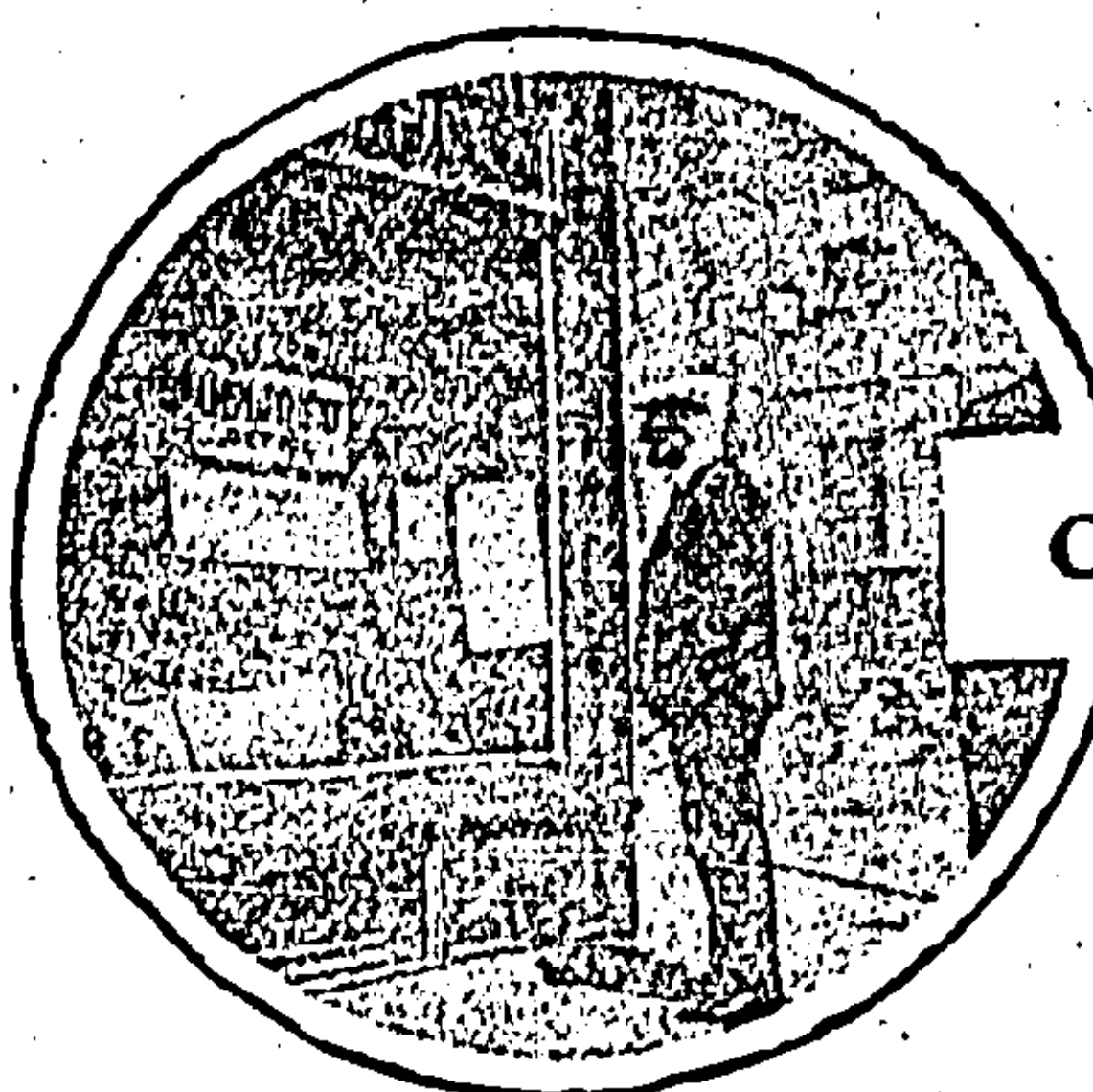
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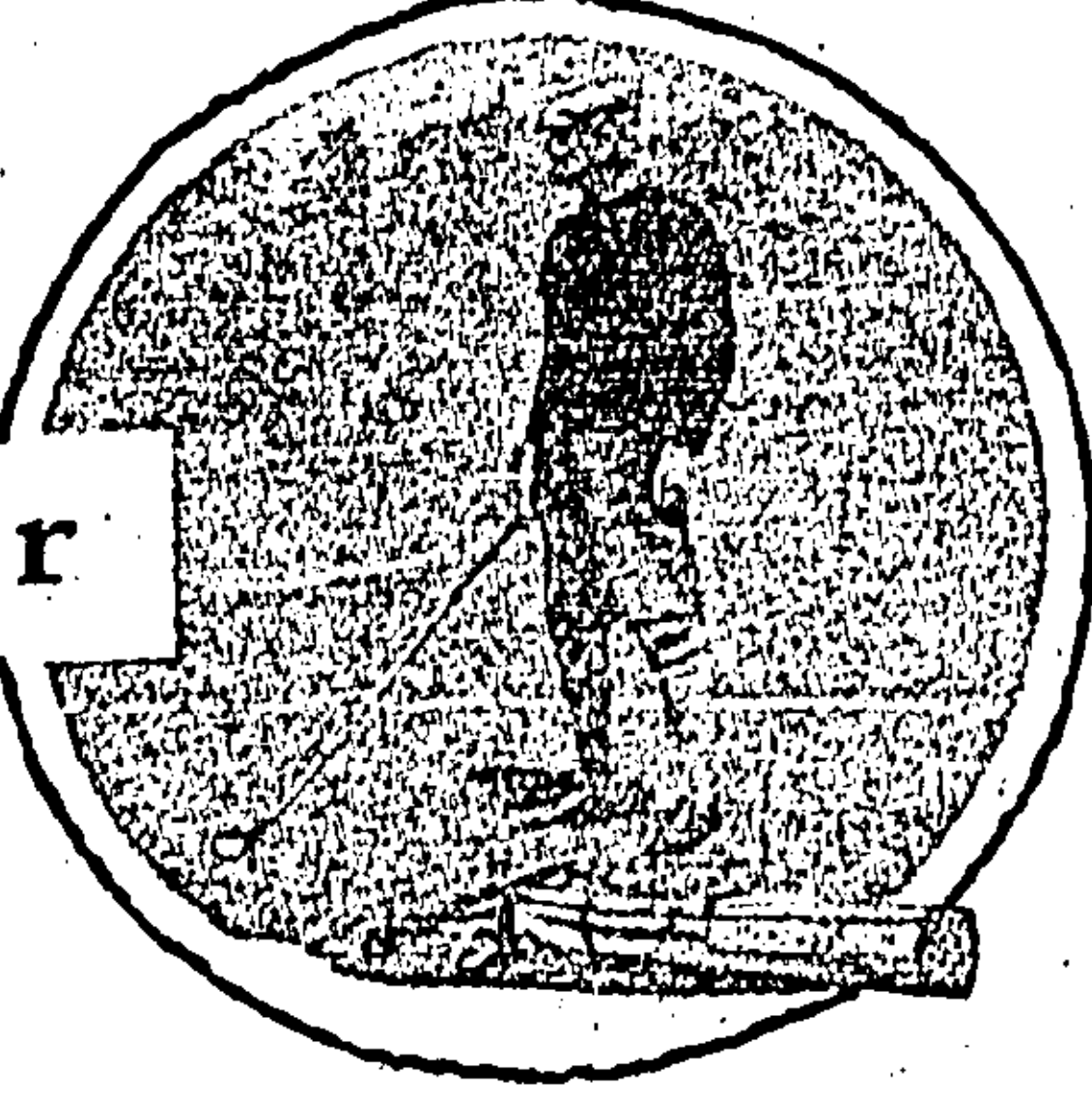


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## OLD WIDOW KILLED.

"ACCIDENTAL DEATH"  
VERDICT AT INQUEST

The death of a widow, Tang Nam-ho, aged 84, and nearly blind, who was knocked down and killed by a vehicle of the China Motor Bus Company in Queen's Road West, near Centre Street on March 18, formed the subject of a Coroner's enquiry conducted by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon. The following jury was empanelled: Messrs. L. G. Remedios (foreman), G. D. Chin and Yung Tze-ming.

Dr. D. J. Valentine, medical officer in charge of the Government Civil Hospital, stated deceased was admitted to hospital at 3.10 p.m. suffering from a compound fracture of the left leg with a considerable laceration of the muscles and tendons. There was also a lacerated wound of the left arm, and a small wound on the left cheek. Her right eye was blind from an old disease of the eye and even the appearance of the left eye showed signs of partial blindness. An operation was performed shortly after admission and her left leg was amputated just above the knee. She died at 7 p.m. the same day. The cause of death was due to shock following multiple injuries, the main one being the fracture of the left leg. When admitted to hospital her age was given as 84 years.

Mak Po-ming, the deceased's grand-daughter, who identified the body, stated her grandmother's husband was dead and she was in receipt of a monthly pension of six dollars from the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs. She always used a stick when she went about. Her sight and hearing were not good.

So Sing, the driver of the China motor bus, stated that at 2.20 p.m. on the day in question, he was driving along Queen's Road West from east to west. When nearing the mouth of Centre Street, there was a funeral procession coming up Centre Street towards Queen's Road. He stopped on the left side of the road, and sounded his horn. A man, who appeared to be one of the carrying coolies, signalled to him with his hand. Witness started off on first gear and almost immediately changed into second gear. He saw an old woman run out from the left side of the mouth of Centre Street. He instantly applied both the hand and footbrakes and averted to the offside. She was knocked down by the front nearside mud-guard.

The Coroner: Before she was knocked down, did you notice anything about her?

Witness: She was walking quickly with her head looking away from the bus. She was carrying a stick.

Replying to further questions, the driver said the road was crowded at the time, with people watching the funeral procession. He first saw the deceased when he started the bus after he had sounded his horn. She was a little over three feet away. He assisted her up and the Police arrived.

After hearing further evidence the jury returned a verdict of "Accidental Death" and exonerated the driver from any blame.

## CLASH IN PATNA

THREE MOSLEMS DIE IN  
RELIGIOUS RIOT

Patna, Apr. 3. Three Moslems were killed and four seriously injured in the course of a Hindu-Moslem riot in the village of Balhori in the Patna District to-day.

The trouble arose out of the proposal of the Moslems to slaughter a buffalo for a wedding feast.

Two Hindus were injured and 22 were arrested.—*Reuter*.



There's many an icy stare over  
a cold shoulder.

## FATAL ACCIDENT

POLICE SERGEANT KNOCKS  
DOWN MAN

A Coroner's inquiry into the death of Chan Cheung, a Chinese employee of Gilman's Service Station at Wanchai, who was knocked down and killed by a car driven by Sergeant Howell, of the Police Force, in Hennessey Road, on March 7, was opened by Mr. Hamilton, sitting as Coroner, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

The jury comprised Messrs. F. S. Elliott, foreman, M. N. Rakusen and R. Johannessen.

Dr. L. D. Pringle, medical officer in charge of the Victoria mortuary, said that he held a post mortem examination on the body of the deceased, and found that the skull was thinner than usual. There was a fracture on the left side of the skull. The cause of death was fracture of the skull and concussion of the brain. The injuries were consistent with a sharp blow. He considered the fracture would not have taken place if the skull had been of normal thickness.

After evidence of identification had been given by a folk of the deceased, Mr. A. H. P. Harbord, of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, said that a little before 5 p.m. on March 7, he was driving along Hennessey Road from West to East. He saw a man about thirty yards ahead of him in the middle of the road. He appeared to be coming from south to north. He sounded his horn to stop the man from coming on. The man was walking quite slowly. When witness sounded the horn, the man stopped and turned round facing him, with his back to oncoming traffic on the left side of the road. He then started to walk back in the direction from which he appeared to have come.

He then apparently heard an oncoming car, for he appeared to look up suddenly. He was near the centre of the road from the south side, and attempted to go back to the centre of the road, when he was struck on his right side by a red car. Witness said he did not recollect having seen another car in front of the red car. He was not aware of the red car until it was about twenty yards of him. The car appeared to be going at 30 miles an hour, the same speed as he was travelling. He could not say whether the driver of the red car sounded his horn or not. He heard the screech of brakes when the man was knocked down. There was room for the red car to have swerved to the left and passed the man, had the driver known the man would not continue to the left.

Mr. L. O. Nagel, manager of Gilman's Service Station, said that on hearing the screech of brakes he turned round and saw a man rolling in front of the red car. Previous to this he had noticed the car passing, and had estimated the speed from 30 to 35 miles an hour. He did not take notice of the car, owing to its speed. The man was rolled about 15 to 20 feet before the car was stopped. He then found out that the man was one of his employees. The driver of the car was Sergeant Howell, who put the man into the car and said he was taking him to the hospital. The man was alive when put into the car. He did not notice another car ahead of the red car.

Lau Yeung-fuk and Li Yau, two employees of the service station, both testified that there was another car in front of the red car, but second witness said that it was well ahead.

The inquiry was then adjourned for this afternoon, when police evidence will be forthcoming.

## NAVY ENTERTAINS.

"FAREWELL HONGKONG"  
AGAIN ACCLAIMED

The repeat presentation of "Farewell, Hongkong" by the officers and ship's company of the H.M.S. Folkestone at the Royal Naval Canteen last night attracted another good house, and was attended with great success.

The various numbers, consisting of songs, dances, humorous dialogues and a character study from Dickens, were all well received. The numbers which achieved the most success were "Persian Paradise Lost," or "It's an Ill Wind—," in which Blood Reed gave a delightful and clever imitation of a Persian dance; "Round the World in Ten Minutes," in which Hugh Hodgkinson was encored for his clever exhibition on the accordion; "Dance Macabre," and "Some Lightning Sketches," Jeanne Gregory's rendition of "Excuse Me" was also encored.

At the conclusion, the lady artistes were presented with bouquets.

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## RETURN TO GOLD

ENHANCED PRICE WINS  
ECONOMISTS' PRAISE

London, Apr. 3. The annual report of the Union Corporation, of which Sir Henry Strakosch, the well-known economist is chairman, emphasises the importance, from the viewpoint of return of the United States to the gold standard with an enhanced price for gold in terms of dollars. It is contended that the British Empire, unless prepared to jeopardise the price-raising programme or prejudice international trade, would be bound to adopt a similar minimum increase in the price of gold.

Between 1930 and 1933, the report goes on, the total world stock of monetary gold rose from £2,354,000,000 to £2,740,000,000 and the quantity held apart from the Central Banks and Treasuries rose from £88,000,000 to £261,000,000, and was believed to consist of hoards, outside China, India and Egypt, in Exchange Equalisation Funds and Government accounts. All these figures are based on a price of gold of 85 shillings a fine ounce.

The figures evidence the tendency of gold to establish itself more firmly in the popular imagination as a safe refuge because gold never ceased to function as international currency, despite abandonment of the gold standard by numerous countries.

Sir Henry added that the enhanced gold price would help to double working profits.—*Reuter*.

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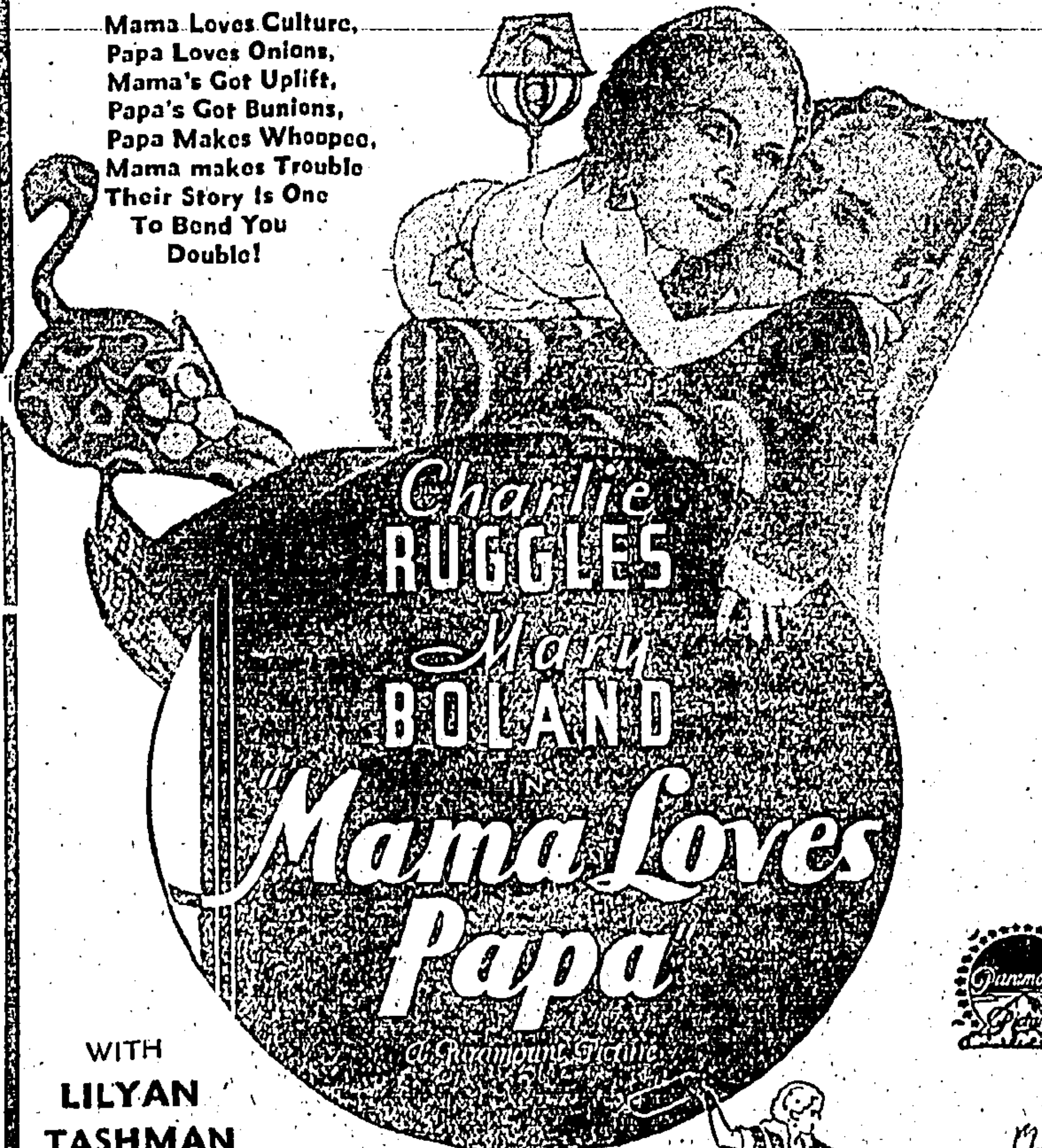
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## BRITAIN'S FINANCES

Britain's financial year has ended with the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the happy position of having a substantial surplus. The extent of the surplus is such that it would be possible to restore the Civil Servants' pay cuts, to knock sixpence off the Income Tax, to remove the ten per cent. increase in surtax, and to restore the cuts in unemployment benefit, provided new arrangements are made for redemption of the Unemployment Fund debt. It will thus be seen that the position is remarkably satisfactory; indeed, it is a little short of amazing that, in times like the present, there should be the possibility of such widespread relief, in which all sections of the community may share. The cuts in unemployment benefit have naturally aroused considerable resentment amongst the working classes, and they have also come in for criticism not only by opposition M.P.'s, but by Conservative members also. It remains a moot point, however, whether the cuts will be restored. The new Unemployment Insurance Act not only places the system on a self-supporting basis, but provides for surpluses which it is intended to apply, over a period of years, to the extinction of the Fund debt. Obviously, if the benefit cuts are restored, the problem of wiping out the old debt will again have to be faced. The view is held in some quarters, notably amongst the Labourites, that the best method of dealing with the matter would be to add the burden to the National Debt, and thus make possible a resumption of the old rates of benefit. Supporters of this idea contend that the Unemployment Fund debt could, in view of the fact that it was incurred during a period of emergency, be far more appropriately given a place under the National Debt than many items which figure therein. There is something to be said for this viewpoint, especially since the restoration of the cuts under this basis could evidently be made without again jeopardising the solvency of the Fund. The Government will doubtless take all the factors into account and endeavour to distribute the "plums" in such a way as to offset some of the recent criticisms of its general policies. But whatever grounds there may be for such criticisms, there cannot but be general admiration for the magnificent manner in which the Government has handled the nation's finances and produced results which might well be the envy of the whole world.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## PLANNED ECONOMY

Further details of the planned economy scheme outlined by Mr. Child, the American economic peace envoy, will be awaited with considerable interest. The underlying principles appear to meet present world conditions ideally and the proposals should meet with a ready response both inside and outside the British Isles. The world having definitely turned its back on freedom of international trade along the old channels, some practical substitute for the former system is inevitable if the trade revival now being heralded is not to meet with a check after making slight forward progress.

## TRADING UNITS

The scheme evolved is clearly based upon the need for the adjustment of ideas to the conditions of economic nationalism. The nations to-day are operating, for most practical purposes, as trading units, not as collections of individual traders. Government control in being made more effective in every country every day, by means of quotas and like methods. Britain has been for two years integrating her trade policy. In Russia and in less degree in Germany, the government is the sole importer and exporter. In France, M. Doumergue has been hastily armed with the power of tariff adjustment for which President Roosevelt has, so far, been asking Congress in vain. Nevertheless, the United States mentally, if not actually as yet, has changed its tariff policy. Faced with the problem of getting rid of its farm surpluses, it is preparing, by reciprocal agreement, to admit more foreign products into the United States, through carefully controlled channels.

## NEW DEAL

The whole trend of the Child scheme is towards a planned economy for the whole of the trading nations of the world. It fits in with the Rooseveltian international programmes. The New Deal means planned national economy, which must be entirely independent of other national economies or it must be geared to them in definite manner. Complete economic nationalism, even for the supposedly self-sufficient United States, is possible only by a veritable revolution. If imports are stopped, exports too must be stopped. No one now continues to believe that American trade can continue on a one-way passage. And American industry is organised for export even to a greater extent than agriculture. Industrial plants as well as farm lands would have to lie fallow in a regime of self-sufficiency.

## GREAT PROMISE

President Roosevelt, therefore, in sending an economic ambassador to Europe to feel the way, is not really exercising a choice; he is pursuing a path marked out for him by circumstances. The proposals do, nevertheless, offer great promise of a new era of worldwide economic co-operation. It may mean, for a time, that definite limits will be set to the volume of international trade. But it should also be an assurance of better balanced world trading conditions. If it prevents an artificial boom when recovery is well established, it should also prohibit the development of a depression of the disastrous character from which commerce and industry is now slowly emerging.

## RELIEF IN U.S.

The new U.S. relief plan which is to follow the Civil Works Administration is something more than just another plan to meet an emergency. The C.W.A. was put into operation to supply relief where it was desperately needed. In a measure it met this need; but, more important, it taught the Administration those lessons which could only be learned through experience. The new plan recently outlined by President Roosevelt shows that those lessons have been learned, and that present and future plans are being built on the foundation of experience.

## INTELLIGENT GRASP

It not only shows an intelligent grasp of the present situation, but also explains the C.W.A. and, therefore, should be free of some of the evils that attached themselves to the original measure. The strongest point in the new relief plan is that, while much money is involved, there is not to be the same outpouring of direct aid. It approaches the more complicated and important aspects of helping distressed wage earners to plant themselves firmly and permanently in a stable society. The encouraging aspect of the whole movement is in its orderly and courageous approach to the fundamental problem of wasted labour and faulty distribution.

THE ART OF  
MAKING FRIENDS

By GILBERT FRANKAU

IN the days of my ebullient youth I there hung over my city desk a small picture of a cowboy issuing from his lonely shack on the mountainside and carrying in his either hand a gun. Across this picture was printed, "Live each day so that you can look every man straight in the eye."

The expression, "superiority complex" had not then been invented. But my youth had it badly. And although Time has reduced the cranial swelling, I still prefer it to the inferiority complex so prevalent to-day.

Youth, whether male or female, should be a little swollen-headed; should be convinced of its own prowess. The "laddy" is a loathsome animal in all places, but especially at school.

School over, men are judged, or at least they should be judged, by their capabilities for doing a job—not by their aptitude for currying favour.

Nevertheless—and although there is much truth in the poet's exhortation that every herring should hang by its own head—no man, however great his capabilities, can succeed by work alone. There are no lonely shacks in our modern existence. Even the artist has to live with, by, and through a multitude of his fellows.

You can be the most brilliant doctor who ever walked a hospital. But without a good "bedside manner" you will never reach Harley-street. And if you don't happen to possess that bedside manner by nature you must cultivate it by art.

The same rule applies in every profession and in every business—using that word business in its widest sense. You can call it the rule of hypocrisy, if you like. Personally I prefer to call it the rule of tact.

One can, of course, overdo tact. There are times when it becomes positively nauseating. Observe, for instance, the young foreign diplomat effusively kissing the hand of some particularly abhorrent female to whom he has only just been presented. Or the man who calls you, "Smith, old boy," after five minutes' acquaintance.

And yet don't you, in your heart of hearts, prefer the holier-than-thou "Mister" from your surname to the fellow who drops your proffered fingers as though they were pieces of cold fish?—Of course you do. And why not?

We are gregarious animals. Even before we learned to kiss, we used to rub noses and to recognise the tattoo-marks of our own tribe.

This persists—even in an age which suffers a little from inverted snobbery. The cheapest of all modern laughs is the laugh at the "old school colours." Sneer at the tribal tattoo-marks as much as you like. But can you play, can you even work, all by yourself?

From personal experience I have found that you can't. You can't even "be yourself" (youth's most fervent wish) and be happy. Happ-

iness itself entails some sacrifice of the individuality. Imagine a society in which every man who woke with a furred tongue gave vent to unbridled self-expression, and every wife told every husband exactly what she was thinking about him at every hour of the day and night.

It may be a little hypocritical to conceal one's immediate feelings. But can one rely upon one's immediate feelings? How many men and women have you started by hating and ended by appreciating? Dislike itself is often a prelude to love.

There are men and women whom everybody likes. There are men and women who like everybody. But these "Kims," these little friends of all the world, are rare. Most of us have to study how to become "good mixers." And that this study is detrimental to the character I refuse to admit.

The average human being, especially the average British human being, is far more sensitive than his or her face betrays. It may be great fun—to ruffle other people's sensitivities. But how we hate it when the process is reversed.

A man is not necessarily a hypocrite because he respects some scruple, some inhibition, some idiosyncrasy of mine. Why, then, should I consider myself the hypocrite for not telling him: "Your politics are those of a lunatic. Your wife dresses like a charwoman. And why on earth don't you consult a dentist about your teeth?"

Such tact is not hypocrisy. A sane respect for other people's opinions, manners, or habits, is not hypocrisy. Even to go out of your way to make a good impression is not hypocrisy. Social amenities are preserved by social discipline. It is better to be a "good chap," even if you have to make yourself into a "good chap," than to worship the golden calf, Self-expression.

Self-expression, cultivated, overmuch, soon degenerates into mere selfishness. Tact, at its best, is unselfishness.

At twenty-five I still imagined myself going through life with a gun in each hand. At thirty-five I put one gun back in its holster. Later, I have learned to sheath the other as well.

Nobody has ever enjoyed "shooting up the town" as much as I have. Even Whistler never extracted more satisfaction from the "gentle art of making enemies." But that satisfaction, I have found, does not last.

It is difficult enough to be a good lover. But to be a good hater is almost impossible for anyone with a little common sense and a little sense of humour.

Making enemies, I have found, is a sport that palls. As one gets older, one gets a little shaken in (Continued on Page 7.)

## The Very Idea!

TOOTHsome  
RAMBLINGS

By "George"

THE tension was terrific.  
—we couldn't stand it.

We sat down.

It got terrific and more  
—eventually we lay down..

.....That hateful voice—  
"Steady, please. Just one more moment." And then five minutes later—"Just one more moment, please."

"Oooouch!"

"Steady please, just one more moment. There!"

The dentist stood back beaming with professional pride. He held in his bloody paw the crimson tusk that had once embellished our jaws.

From our position under the desk where the fierce struggle for supremacy had taken place we gazed up at him.

The tooth had been hollow but we gazed none the less hollowly, for the lack of this tried and trusty friend was but another reminder that our years were beginning to number.

The particular molar whose parting had been such a wrench to us had lived for nigh on 30 years in the rear attic under the roof.

However, the best of teeth must depart and others, false though they be, must take their place. It was one less tooth to clean anyway, we reflected.

They say that every baby costs a mother's tooth but they don't say what else it costs.

The advantage of a good display of ivory in to-day's keen face-dressing competition may also explain the lack of babies among our wives. (Here the "our" is used editorially.)

Perhaps the adage of "every baby costs a mother's tooth" is the foundation of that old wisecrack "the woman always pays."

If the mother loses the tooth the father gets the ache when it comes to fooling the bill, and when she's run through her own teeth there's still more expense for hubby.

The wedding ring is a vicious circle at this rate, with daddy running round and round but never getting nowhere. Anyway he was legally engaged for the job and employment of any kind is something to be thankful for in these days.

Of course it's not every woman gets a bargain in the matrimonial line herself—and then it's a case of "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

He says "Aye" in response to her eye, and while she drops occasional tooth per baby, he wears his out biting his tongue.

Marriage seems to be a constant wear, wear, wear, except when it's being tear, tear, and tear. A little "ware!" would save a lot of tear.

Marriage, like business, is one of the things that drive a man to voluntary liquidation in which state he is too often prone to float a lo(ane), and depress further his sinking fund.

Carried forward from day to day he fails to achieve a balance and develops a leaning to other figures.

The exchange is not favourable to stabilisation and with the sleeping partner insisting on his pound of flesh and failing to subscribe her share, the only resource left for the other partner is to file his petition.

His creditors remain while his credit goes and when matrimony has been swallowed up in alimony he can wind up his affairs.

UPHEAVAL IN  
BABY-BALLYHOO.

A revolution in the baby-ballyhoo indulged in by proud parents may result from the findings of a French commission on schoolchildren.

The commission has found that plain children are the most intelligent. So it may become quite usual to hear the fond mother crooning, "Was oo mama's own precious little eyesore, den?" purring over visitors who describe the infant as "the quaintest little blot."

As one who has inspected a good many contemporary infants (with the usual imbecile comments), I can only say that, if the commission's finding is correct, the next generation will be absolutely riddled with genius.

One thing, callers on Peak residents can in future be at once candid and complimentary:

"Well, well, Mrs. Jones, so this is Alec. Growing more of a nuisance every day, isn't he? And so like his father."

I regard it as distinctly unfortunate, though that the commission did not extend its theory to adults, because I'm afraid most film stars would never recover.



"Let's finish up those caramels so we can concentrate on the show."



**"BACK TO OLD CHINA" MOVEMENT****Sulphuric Acid Attacks at Hangchow**

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4. The so-called "anti-modern" organisations, which made their first appearance at Peking and have employed sulphuric acid to discourage the wearing of European-style or other style clothes made of foreign material, have spread their activities to Hangchow and other cities.

This is an offshoot of the "Buy Home Products" campaign recently commenced in North China. According to a Hangchow report, pedestrians wearing foreign clothes, have been conspicuously absent since the appearance of the fanatics dropping acid on them from verandas or from behind. *Central News.*

**CANTON NOTES****POPULAR RESIDENTS LEAVING**

Canton, Apr. 3. Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Werner left Canton yesterday on Home leave, together with their small son. Mr. Werner has not been Home for eight years. He is the Manager of the Import Department of Messrs. R. Johnson and Co. Mrs. Werner is the daughter of Mrs. Paget, the proprietress of The American Little Shop, Shanghai.

A farewell dinner is being given by the Consular Body of Canton to Dr. and Mrs. Wagner, the German Consul-General and his wife, who are shortly leaving for Japan. Mr. Herbert Phillips, H.B.M. Consul-General, who will now be the Senior Consul in the Port, is presiding at the dinner. *Our Own Correspondent.*

**GLOUCESTER PILE UP 47 POINTS****Yesterday's Rugger at Home**

London, April 3. Gloucester ran wild against Bradford in a Union match at Gloucester to-day, scoring forty-seven points. The results of to-day's games follow:

Bath	8	Headingley	0
Bristol	6	St. Bart's II	5
Newport	6	Barbarians	11
Cardiff	12	Coventry	9
Gloucester	47	Bradford	3
Pontypool	16	London Welsh	6

**YUNNAN-BURMA CLASH REPORT****DENIAL BY BRITISH CONSULATE**

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4. A spokesman of the British Consulate General told Chinese pressmen to-day that the report of a clash between the British troops and natives of Pengchung, on the Yunnan-Burma border, was not true, as no British troops were stationed there. *Central News.*

**42 FIGHTING PLANES****AUSTRALIA TO BUY THEM**

The Royal Australian Air Force is to be strengthened by 42 new machines this year. As a result of reduction in price, the Commonwealth Government will probably buy 24 Seagull 5-Amphibian machines instead of 18 provided in the estimate. It is also intended to purchase 18 Demon-Hart machines. The Government, says *Austral News*, has also decided to recommission the seaplane carrier *Albatross* which is in reserve in Sydney. Some of the new machines will be installed in *Albatross* and the others allocated to the other cruisers stationed in Australian waters.

During the five days ending April 2, five cases of small-pox (one imported), three cases of diphtheria, seven cases of meningitis and one case each of typhoid and puerperal fever were reported to the local health authorities.

**OUR HOCKEY VISITORS**

(Continued from Page 5.)

(Y.M.C.A.) and A. E. P. Guest (St. Andrew's Club). H. Owen Hughes (Hongkong Hockey Club), J. M. Pinto ("Incognitos"), Avtar Singh (Radio Sports Club), Kawan Singh (Radio Sports Club) and A. P. Sousa ("Incognitos"). Reserves: A. P. Eca da Silva ("Incognitos"), Blackburn (Police), N. Beltrao ("Incognitos"), and N. A. E. Mackay (St. Andrew's Club).

**SERVICES TEAM.**

The Combined Services team to meet Malaya on Tuesday will be as follows: Pte. Hollingworth (Army); Lieut. N. W. Motcallo (Army) and Surg-Lt. Comdr. A. B. Phillips (Navy); Lieut. N. W. B. Muspratt (Navy); Lieut. Dulla Singh (Army); and Lt. Comdr. J. C. H. Hill (Navy); Lt. W. S. Donald (Navy); Lt. J. H. Eaden (Navy); Lt. E. N. V. Curry (Navy); Lt. C. C. Garthwaite (Army) and Lal Singh (Army).

The visitors will be accommodated at the Kowloon Hotel.

**TOURNAMENT REPLAY.**

The replay for the final of the International Hockey Tournament between England and India has been fixed for Wednesday April 18, on the R. N. O. S. C. ground, King's Park, b.o. at 5 p.m.

**RETURN OF POPULAR HOCKEY SEC.**

Mr. R. A. Bates, Y.M.C.A. hockey secretary, arrived back from leave this morning on the s.s. *Naldora*. He was met at the wharf by a number of members of the hockey Club headed by a banner bearing the words "Welcome back Robert Bates" and accompanied by a Chinese band.

**GOLF AT FANLING.****Competition For Shanghai Visitors' Cup.**

With a net score of 146 strokes, R. H. Scowen won the Shanghai Visitors' Cup Competition at Fanling on Easter Sunday, by going around in 79 in the morning and 79 in the afternoon, his handicap being twelve for the two rounds.

The leading scores were:

R. H. Scowen	79-79-158
H. J. Smith	83-81-164
Capt. D. B. Mitchell	84-86-170
A. C. Pearce	81-77-158
For Com. E. M. Tully	84-87-171
D. S. Roth	86-82-168
J. Forbes	84-80-164
A. Ritchie	86-83-169
D. D. Lawrence	82-89-171
H. G. Hopkin	82-76-158
H. C. Prother	88-84-172
R. R. Andrews	80-84-164

Prizes for the best morning and afternoon rounds were won by Capt. D. B. Mitchell with a card of 81-10-74 and H. G. Sheldons who returned a card of 81-8-73. There were 62 entries.

**MYSTERIOUS TRIP****HUANG FU LEAVES FOR HANKOW**

Peiping, Apr. 3. General Huang Fu, Chairman of the North-east Pacific Commission, left here at 5.25 p.m. to-day by special train, bound for Hankow, accompanied by his wife and a number of secretaries and an escort of over 100 troops.

According to Chinese circles he intends to see Marshal Chang Hsueh-ling at Hankow, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek at Nanchang and Mr. Wang Ching-wei at Nanking, afterwards proceeding to his native village in Chekiang for the Ching Ming Festival.

Though there were many newspapermen at the station, he declined to make a statement and it is not known when he intends returning to Peiping. *Reuter.*

**FEAR OF PLAGUE.****URGENT WARNING TO WORLD BY RADIO**

London, Apr. 3. Aeroplane travelling propensities of an internationally feared flea are now the subject of serious consideration by League of Nations health experts, who are endeavouring to minimize the bubonic plague menace which modern travelling facilities provide.

A lecturer related yesterday how a rat recently landed in a certain airport carrying an infected flea. The authorities immediately telegraphed the discovery to Geneva which got the Asiatic Health Base in Singapore to wireless a warning to all parts of the world. *Reuter.*

**TEACHERS' PARLEY.****URGE INCREASE OF LEAVING AGE**

London, Apr. 3. The Conference of the National Union of Teachers at British yesterday carried a resolution asking the Government to pass without delay a bill to raise the school leaving age from 14 to 16 years. *British Wireless.*

**LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE****GILT-EDGED ISSUES STRONG**

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Colburn and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. Market—Gilt-edged securities were strong. Otherwise the market ruled widely firm.

Chinese Bonds.	Mar. 20.	Apr. 3.
4½% Bonds 1898	£100%	£100%
4½% Loan 1908	£ 95	£ 95
5% Loan 1912	£ 74½	£ 74
5% Reorg. Loan	£ 96½	£ 97½
1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 87½	£ 87½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 66	£ 68
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 37-40	£ 38-41
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 26-29	£ 27-30
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 26-29	£ 27-30
5% Shai-Hchow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 96½	£ 96½
5% Honan Rly.	£ 31	£ 31½
5% Hukwang Rly.	£ 39	£ 43
1911	£ 15	£ 16
5% Lung Tsing U. Rly.	£ 15	£ 16

Foreign Bonds and Banks	Mar. 20.	Apr. 3.
German 7½ Int. Loan 1924	78½	79
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 80	£ 80½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 90½	£ 90½
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£130	£138
Charld. Bk. 25 sh.	£ 16½	£ 16½

**Industrials and Breweries.**

Associated Elec. Industries	17½	17½
Brit-Am. Tob. (Beurer)	120½	119½
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Beurer)	24½	23½
Tate and Lyle	86½	83½
Courtaulds	53½	53½
Distillers	88½	89½
Dunlop Rubber	62½	62½
Eveready 5½	29½	29½
General Elec. (England)	40½	42½
Boots	42½	42½
Impl. Chem Ind.	37½	37½
Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10½ sh.	9½	9½
Internat. Tobacco	119½	119½
Woolworths	93½	93½
Internat. Nickel no par val	£ 27½	£ 27½
Pinchin Johnson 10½ sh.	36½	36½
Turner & Newall 50 sh.	51½	51½
Unilever	24½	24½

**Miscellaneous.**

Anglo-Dutch	19½	19½
Burma Corp. Rs. 10	14½	13½
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25 sh.	£ 16½	£ 16½
Chand. 15½ sh. (Beurer)	22½	22½
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	19½	19½
Tropic Mines	12½	12½
La g l a n t e Estates	23½	23½
London Tin 10½ sh.	14½	14½
Pekin Synd. 2½ sh.	3½	3½
ord. sh.	27½	27½
Rubber Trusts	57½	57½
Shai Elec. Constr. 57½	57½	57½
Van Ryn Deep 39½ sh.	40½	40½
Elec. Musical Industries	25½	25½

**Oil.**

Anglo-Persian Oil	48½	48½
Burma Oil	91½	91½
Southern Railway (Deferred)	29½	29½
Royal Dutch 100 sh.	£ 21½	£ 21½
Shell Trans. and Trad. (Beurer)	51½	51½
Goldfields	30½	30½
Crown Mines	22½	22½

**EXCHANGE RATES**

	Mar. 28	Apr. 3.
Paris	77.19/32	78.13/32
Geneva	15.81	15.98
Berlin	12.87	13.01
Helsinki	226½	226½
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Athens	535	535
Milan	59.11/32	60.11
Buenos Aires	364	364
Shanghai	1/4½	1/4½
New York	5.10½	5.17
Amsterdam	1.758½	1.765
Vienna	28	28
Prague	122	124½
Madrid	37.7/16	37.27/32
Bucharest	510	510
Hongkong	1/6	1/6
Brussels	21.90	22.13
Stockholm	19.39	19.39
Copenhagen	22.39½	22.39½
Lisbon	109½	110
Bombay	1/6.3/32	1/6.3/32
Rio	4½	4½
Yokohama	1/2.3/16	1/2.3/16
Montevideo	38	37½
Belgrade	225	225
Montreal	5.10½	5.16½
Silver (spot)	197	20
Silver (forward) 10/5/16	20.1/16	20.1/16
War Loan	104	104½

*British Wireless.***QUEEN'S ILLNESS.****HER MAJESTY SUFFERING FROM SLIGHT COLD**

London, Apr. 3. The Queen is suffering from a slight cold. It is considered inadvisable that Her Majesty should leave Buckingham Palace at present. But Her Majesty is progressing well. *British Wireless.*

**TRAINS COLLIDE****FIFTY INJURED NEAR KILBURN**

London, Apr. 3.

Two major railway disasters were narrowly averted yesterday. But for the protection of the steel coaches, scenes comparable with those witnessed at Lagny in France on New Year's Day might have been witnessed.

Fifty excursionists were injured at Kilburn, when a light engine crashed into the back of an excursion train from Nottingham. The passenger train was stationary to a bridge near the Kilburn Railway Station when the accident occurred. Most of the injuries received were slight.

The wreckage from the train crashed on to the road running beneath the railway bridge, and narrowly missed a motor coach, which passed only a few seconds before the collision.

The second accident occurred at Catorham last night, when two southern railway trains met in head-on collision. Fortunately, neither train was travelling fast at the time and none of the passengers were injured. *Reuter.*

**Holiday Traffic**

London, Apr. 3.

Holiday traffic to seaside resorts was heavy but railways suffered some diminution yesterday owing to cold winds. The weather was dry and in southern England sunny. Motor traffic on roads into country was exceptionally heavy, it being estimated that at the peak period last night home-bound motorists passed a point on the Bath Road at rate of 3,000 hourly. At many other busy points congestion was almost equally heavy. A large number of road accidents were reported, several of them fatal. Two railway accidents occurred during the holidays. Six passengers were injured in a London North-Eastern excursion train which was in collision with light engine near London, and the driver was taken to hospital in serious condition. At Glasgow Central Station late last night a light engine crashed into the London Midland Scottish train and twenty-one persons were reported injured but only six of them were detained in hospital.

Very large numbers of visitors from the country made excursions to London during the day and museums and art galleries proved popular, while over 69,000 persons visited the Zoological. *British Wireless.*

**EXPATRIATION.****GERMAN REFUGEES IN MANCHURIA**

Harbin, Apr. 3.

The expatriation of German refugees who fled from Russia to Manchuria when the revolution broke out in 1917, commenced to-day, when 284 Germans left for home.

They have been expatriated, following orders received from Berlin. Most of them were employed under the Czarist regime and were forced to leave Russia suddenly, leaving most of their possessions behind.

Joyful scenes were witnessed at Dairen to-day when the boarded ship for home. They will stay in Germany for six months, after which they will be sent to South America for colonisation purposes. *United Press.*

**THE ART OF MAKING FRIENDS**

(Continued from Page 6.)

the belief that the other fellow is always wrong.

But the making of friends, even if only of superficial friends, is an enduring pastime. And the more one practises it, the easier it becomes. Social discipline, like military discipline, soon develops into second nature. Practise it, and you will find that smiles, like anulus, are inevitably returned.

The stern, strong, silent man is an admirable figure in fiction. But even in fiction he only succeeds when the final chapter administers its rearward shock to his self-esteem.

Tact, even if only a cultivated tact, is an almost certain cure for too much self-esteem. Cultivate it. "Good chaps," unlike poets, are made as well as born.

Meanwhile, however, deem him or her lucky for whom one man and one woman truly weep when they pass on.

**RADIO BROADCAST****TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.****RELAY OF HONGKONG HOTEL DANCE ORCHESTRA**

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres.  
4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
6.00-6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.  
7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme.  
7.30-9.30 p.m. Recorded Music.  
7.30-8.00 p.m. Musical Comedy Selections.  
Bow Bells—Selection (Sullivan).  
Follow a Star—Vocal Gems (Ellis).  
Charlotte's Manquerade—Selection.  
The Student Prince—Vocal Gems (S. Tomberg).  
Light Opera Company.  
8.00 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.  
8.00-8.25 p.m. Band Music.  
Softly Awakes My Heart. ("Samson & Delilah") (Saint-Saens).  
War March of the Priests (Mendelssohn).  
The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards.  
Songs of Wales.  
Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.  
Rienzi—Overture (Wagner).  
Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.  
8.25-8.42 p.m.  
Partita No. 2, in C Minor, (Bach) for Pianoforte played by Harold Samuel.  
8.42-9.30 p.m. A Concert.  
Overture—In Spring (Goldmark).  
Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra.  
Violin Solo—Dance of the Marionette (Winteritz).  
Fritz Kreisler.  
Song—I Love Thee (Grieg, words, Laubach).  
Eva Turner, (Soprano).  
Pianoforte Solo—Pierrette (Chaminade).  
Una Bourne.  
Song—Macushia (J. V. Rowe—Dermot-Macmurrrough).  
Richard Crooks, (Tenor).  
Octet—Narcissus (Nevin).  
J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.  
Orchestral—Gypsy Moon (Borognoff).  
Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.  
Octet—Valse Bluette (Drigo).  
J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.  
Song—Too Late To-morrow (Langenberg).  
Richard Crooks (Tenor).  
Pianoforte Solo—Dance of the Marionette (Winteritz).  
Una Bourne.  
Song—Homing (Salmon & Del Rio).  
Eva Turner, (Soprano).  
Violin Solo—Pierrette (Chaminade).  
Fritz Kreisler.  
Orchestral—Bird Songs at Eventide (Eric Coates).  
Albert Sandler & his Orchestra.  
9.30-10.30 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Grill Room.  
10.30 p.m. Rugby Midday Press News.  
10.35 p.m. Close Down.

**ARMS SMUGGLING****FRENCH POLICE SEEK LARGE SHIPMENT**

Paris, Apr. 3.

A huge shipment of rifles, 14,000 in number, of Mauser and Russian manufacture, have been brought to France during the past fortnight, according to *Le Jour*. The rifles were smuggled in from Antwerp in cases, and carried by lorries to Paris.

The Surete Generale received information in this connexion and police are now searching for the arms, the paper states.

After the recent seizures of arms in Paris, *Le Jour* continues, an Algerian was arrested, who is said to be connected with an anarchist group at work in France. *Reuter.*

**PEACE QUEST****SOVIET FRIENDLY TO ALL THE WORLD**

Cincinnati, Apr. 3.

M. Alexander Troyanovski, of the People's Commissariat for Foreign Affairs, formerly posted to Tokyo, spoke to-day upon Russia's foreign policy to members of the semi-political American Foreign Policy Association here.

The friendship between America and Soviet Russia, he said, had increased the world's hope of peace, but there was still in the world an uncured militarist fever.

Moscow, he went on, was conspicuously endeavouring to establish friendly relations with all nations. "We will leave no stone unturned for maintaining peace, but we are not the kind of pacifists who want peace at the price of the existence of our country."

"We have no desire for foreign territory," he emphasised, "but we shall never surrender a single inch of our land to anyone."

"There are to-day some coun-

**PRISON BREAK****AUSTRIAN REBELS' DASH TO FREEDOM**

Vienna, Apr. 3.

Four prominent Socialists and two Nazis escaped from prison here last night and are believed to be fleeing by motor car for the frontier.

The Socialists are reported to be heading for Czechoslovakia but the Nazis are making all haste for the German border.

One of the Socialists is the notorious Bernaschek, who led the rebels in the outbreak at Linz and who is alleged to have given the order to fire which caused the subsequent major uprising and the bloodshed throughout Austria.

He and his comrades were helped to escape by a Socialist varior, it is believed, who is also missing.

The two Nazis who escaped had been sentenced to 14 and 12 months' imprisonment respectively for high treason. *Reuter.*

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# CUP FINAL REHEARSAL BEING STAGED THIS WEEK

## FOOTBALL CHATTER BY "PILGRIM"

"PRICES offered on the English Cup before racing began at Cheltenham on March 8 were:

9-4..... Aston Villa  
5-2..... Manchester City  
3-1..... Portsmouth  
4-1..... Leicester City

A bet of £200 to £50 was laid against Portsmouth and then 3-1 against was offered.

WHAT price to-day I wonder?

CHELSEA, now lying third from the bottom have done a good week-end's work. They are a point ahead of Sheffield United and have a better goal average than Birmingham.

THE worst is over but they will have to fight hard to maintain the advantage.

CHESTERFIELD, with 26 wins to their credit showed they had reserves of strength which Stockport could not produce.

THE Stockport challenge has now been replaced by Barnsley.

NEWPORT and Southport hold this season's record of draws so far, totalling 17 each.

QUEEN o'South and Bradford have only drawn twice and Blackburn, Reading, Barnsley, Stockport, and Rangers still have unbeaten home records.

SOUTHAMPTON and Swans, are the only clubs which have yet to win away from home.

MANCHESTER United, who are making a brave effort to aver disaster, have tried McMillan at right-half.

C. B. Fry, the old England football and cricket international at 62 years of age watched his first football match for many seasons at Highbury last month.

HIS comments on the game were remarkably entertaining, especially his comparisons of the old and present generations.

AS Fry is a definite link between the past and present, he can justly claim authoritative views.

FIRST and foremost, the pace of the game impressed him tremendously. He said that play had speeded up at least 20 per cent., an estimation that is not at all exaggerated.

ANOTHER point which struck him forcibly was the directness of the methods. There were few of those aimless dribbles or short, needless passes so beloved by the professors and amateurs of old.

IN Fry's own words the players were always on the move towards the opponents' goal. They did not make three or four passes when one was sufficient.

IN fact, Fry so admired the present team-work and tactics that he expressed the opinion that only one of the old-time teams held a chance of beating either Arsenal or the Villa.

WITH their all-attacking style, short ground passes which make rapid progress, the Corinthians, according to Fry, would have highly tested either team.

## England XI's Continental Tour In May

London, Mar. 10.  
At a meeting of the International Selection Committee in London yesterday it was decided to play a match against Hungary at Budapest and against Czechoslovakia at Prague in May, upon dates to be agreed.

The Committee considered correspondence which had passed with the Italian F.A. and the secretary was instructed to write to the Italian Association that there had evidently been a misunderstanding that the proposed return match should be played in England in 1934. No member of the committee at Rome had authority to commit the F.A. to the playing of a match. As to the proposed match in England next December, the matter will be considered by the Committee later in the year.

## PORTSMOUTH TO VISIT MANCHESTER CITY

### HUDDERSFIELD FACED WITH A VITAL PROPOSITION

### ARSENAL'S OPPORTUNITY TO LEAP AHEAD OF COMPETITORS

(By "The Pilgrim")

A rehearsal of the F.A. Cup final will be seen at the Maine Road ground on Saturday when Portsmouth and Manchester City come into conflict.

I do not suppose for one moment that it will be a full dress rehearsal however, though there is a rule against a side deliberately playing its weakest team!

It will be an opportunity for some of the players to try themselves out but the big guns will be fairly subdued. Portsmouth's fruitless week-end will probably be continued.

Another match of even more interest is that at the Highbury ground where Arsenal meet their closest rivals for the League championship.

It could almost be said that this is Huddersfield's last hope to make a fight for the coveted honour as, if they lose, they will be four points behind with no games in hand.

Spurs received a setback at the hands of Stoke who seem to have filled the role of giant-killers this season, and the White Hart Lane club would appear to be due for another defeat at the Baseball ground. The Rams are an exasperating club to support but they seem to be the bogey team of the Londoners.

### THE "BOOBY" TEAM

Lincoln are fairly sure of being the booby team of the Second Division but it is only their sheer inability to collect points either at home or away that has saved Manchester United from being bottom. The United have given a scarcely better exhibition and though Millwall have only an equal number of points, they have at least had their moments of good form.

As I anticipated a week ago, Chesterfield showed better staying power than their rivals from Stockport and they have again placed a fair margin of safety behind them.

Barnsley are making a late spurt which has brought them to second place and they have a sporting chance of going higher if they can stand the cracking pace set by the Salter Lane eleven.

Chesterfield were relegated at the end of last season but they are going all out to regain their lost status.

Rochdale are in a position similar to Lincoln but it is a tussle between Rotherham and Mansfield as to who will accompany them on the relegation route. Crewe and Chester are hovering on the outskirts too, but I think they will avoid the danger.

A batch of home wins is indicated at Scotland where the strength of the First Division are playing at home.

St. Mirren with Cup Final fears to harass them, will probably drop Cowdenbeath a couple of points but the latter with only 13 to their credit will not benefit materially.

### FIVE MINUTES FOOTBALL.

## Why Inside Forward Play Is Poor.

(By "Saracens")

Originality and the surprise which follows it is the salt of football. Unfortunately all the team talks and preparations for a match which now generally take place tend to depreciate its value inasmuch as clubs to-day set their highest store on combined effort.

I do not suggest that there is no longer room for individual effort, but members of a side have a part definitely allotted to them and they have had to work in defence. But they have now to do very much more to assist the wing halves behind them owing to the changes which have come about since the alteration of the off-side law and to a large extent they are semi-halfbacks.

This is specially notable in the case of inside forwards. It is true that for as long as I can remember they have had to work in defence. But they have now to do very much more to assist the wing halves behind them owing to the changes which have come about since the alteration of the off-side law and to a large extent they are semi-halfbacks.

The modern inside forward does not wish to play in this style. I have heard players plead for a greater license to exercise their initiative. They want to go up and keep in touch with the ball. They are, however, the victims of a system and they are sacrificed to the stern needs of their side.

In the circumstances it is scarcely surprising that they know little of the arts of finesse and deception and that they proceed on the stereotyped lines as laid down by modern conditions. But how mistaken this is one realises from the fact that if another Alex James were to appear he would be hailed as a genius and a hero.



THE FLYING HUNT—Graphic picture taken during the football match between Tottenham and Portsmouth at White Hart Lane, showing Hunt, the Spurs centre-forward leaping for the ball.

## TO BEAT THE BOOK

(By "Robin")

### HOME:

Blackburn  
Middlesbrough  
West Brom. A.  
Doncaster  
Halifax  
Stockport  
Clapton Orient  
Norwich  
Swindon  
Torquay  
Luton  
Wednesday

### DRAW:

Grimsby  
Coventry  
Preston

### AWAY:

Everton  
Newcastle  
Port Vale

## OUR FORECAST

### OF LEADING HOMESIDE PROGRAMMES

(By "The Pilgrim")

### ENGLISH LEAGUE.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

ARSENAL (2) v Huddersfield (2)  
Birmingham (0) v Chelsea (0)  
BLACKBURN (1) v Sheffield U. (2)  
DERBY (—) v Stoke (—)  
Everton (—) v Spurs (—)  
Leeds (1) v Leicester (1)  
MANCHESTER C. (3) v Portsmouth (1)  
MIDDLESBROUGH (2) v Wolves (1)  
NEWCASTLE (3) v Villa (1)  
Wednesday (3) v Sunderland (1)  
WEST B. (2) v Liverpool (1)

#### SECOND DIVISION.

BLACKBURN (—) v Plymouth (—)  
BRADFORD C. (1) v Bolton (—)  
Bury (1) v Bradford (0)  
Fulham (0) v Notts F. (1)  
Hull (—) v Grimsby (—)  
Lincoln (2) v PRESTON (1)  
MILLWALL (6) v OLDHAM (1)  
Notts C. (—) v BIRMINGHAM (—)  
PORT V. (—) v Bolton (—)  
SOUTHAMPTON (4) v West Ham (3)  
SWANSEA (2) v Burnley (0)

#### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

ALDRIDGE (3) v Exeter (1)  
BRIGHTON (2) v Charlton (—)  
CLAPTON (1) v Rotherham (1)  
Luton (1) v Palace (2)  
NORTHAMPTON (1) v Bristol R. (1)  
Newport (3) v Reading (3)  
NORWICH (1) v Watford (2)  
Q. Park (3) v Coventry (3)  
SWINDON (3) v Cardiff (2)  
TORQUAY (6) v Southampton (1)

#### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

BARROW (2) v Tranmere (0)  
Carlisle (0) v BARNLEY (1)  
CHATHAM (—) v CHITRELD (1)  
CREWE (2) v Wrexham (0)  
DONCASTER (1) v Rochdale (0)  
Halifax (4) v Hartlepool (0)  
Rotherham (2) v St. Helens (1)  
ST. HELENS (2) v Mansfield (2)  
STOCKPORT (2) v Gateshead (0)  
YORK (0) v Accrington (2)

#### SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

##### FIRST DIVISION.

AIRDRIE (0) v Celtic (3)  
AYR (—) v Hibernians (—)  
CLYDE (3) v Falkirk (1)  
COWDENBEATH (1) v St. Mirren (3)  
HEARTS (1) v Kilmarnock (0)  
MOTHWELL (6) v Lanark (3)  
Partick (4) v Dundee (0)  
Q. S. (—) v Hamilton (—)  
RANGERS (3) v Aberdeen (1)  
S. J. STINE (3) v Queen's (2)

## The F.A. Cup Finances

### WHERE THE MONEY GOES

Soccer football is a game that essentially belongs to the people, and the fact that in the third and fourth rounds of the Football Association Cup the gate money was £47,227 up on last year is taken as a sure indication that better times are returning. These are the figures:

#### RECEIPTS.

1933 1934  
Third round £50,540 £73,964  
Fourth round £31,115 £54,918

#### ATTENDANCES.

Third round 703,347 1,066,944  
Fourth round 451,367 785,711

The totals given include matches replayed in mid-week as well as the Saturday afternoon fixtures. There have been four more replays this year than in 1933. Nearly two million people watched the matches in the two rounds, or over 700,000 more than twelve months ago.

#### NO DIRECTORS' FEES.

Where does all this money go to? It is one of Soccer football's proud boasts that when players and officials have been paid there is practically no profit to the individual. Shareholders in football clubs are allowed a maximum dividend of 7½ per cent., and directors receive no fees. Entertainment tax accounts for 20 per cent. of the gross receipts. Thus, in the two rounds played in January, the game contributed £25,776 to the Exchequer.

Some clubs make big profits. One Arsenal F. C. balance-sheet of recent years revealed a balance of £27,000. But the money is put back into the game in the form of travel for fans. When, for example, Bolton Wanderers transferred David Jack to the Arsenal for £10,340 they badly needed the money to carry on. Trade depression in Lancashire had affected their "rates" alarmingly.

The rules governing the financial side of Cup-fests are known by only a small percentage of those who make up the huge crowds. Entertainment tax having been deducted from the gross gate, other charges are printing, advertising, employment of gatekeepers and police, referees and linesmen's fees, and travelling expenses of the visiting team.

#### GATE RECEIPTS DIVIDED.

The balance is divided equally between the two teams in all rounds up to the semi-finals and final tie. The receipts from the two semi-finals are pooled; the Football Association claims one-third of the total and the four clubs concerned divide two-thirds. In the final, at Wembley, the division is on the same basis—one-third to the Football Association and the remainder to the clubs. The Football Association's share of the Wembley gate last year was £5,177.

The players benefit little. Until the semi-finals are reached, they are entitled only to the same bonus as in ordinary League matches—£2 for a win, £1 for a draw. In the semi-final the bonus is increased to £4 and in the final to £8. A professional footballer, by the way, may not earn more than £280 per annum (excluding bonuses). The maximum wage is £8 per week during the playing season and £10 per week in the summer.

## FIGURES WHICH SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

### A USEFUL LEAGUE TABLE RECORDS GUIDE

The following tabulated league table records of all the clubs in the English League and the first division of the Scottish League show their home and away performances up to and including yesterday's matches.

#### ENGLISH LEAGUE.

	Total					Home					Away					Goals		Pts.
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.		
Arsenal	36	21	8	7	13	4	2	8	4	5	36	19	10	7	13	4	5	50
Huddersfield	36	19	10	7	13	3	2	0	7	6	36	19	10	7	13	4	5	48
Tottenham	38	19	7	12	12	3	4	7	4	8	38	19	7	12	12	3	4	45
Derby County	37	16	10	11	10	7	2	6	3	9	37	16	10	11	10	7	2	42
Sunderland	37	14	11	12	12	5	1	2	6	11	37	14	11	12	12	5	1	39
Blackburn	38	16	7	15	14	5	0	2	2	15	38	16	7	15	14	5	0	39
Wednesday	37	15	8	14	8	4	6	7	4	8	37	15	8	14	8	4	6	38
Manchester City	36	14	10	12	11	4	3	3	6	9	36	14	10	12	11	4	3	38
Everton	36	12	13	11	9	4	5	3	9	6	36	12	13	11	9	4	5	37
Stoke	37	14	9	14	10	5	4	4	4	10	37	14	9	14	10	5	4	37
West Brom	37	14	8	15	10	3	5	4	6	10	37	14	8	15	10	3	5	36
Leeds	36	14	7	15	11	4	3	3	3	12	36	14	7	15	11	4	3	35
Portsmouth	36	12	11	13	8	5	6	4	6	8	36	12	11	13	8	5	6	35
Leicester	36	12	11	12	8	6	4	4	5	8	36	12	11	12	8	6	4	35
Wolves	37	12	11	14	11	4	4	1	7	10	37	12	11	14	11	4	4	35
Middlesbrough	37	14	6	17	11	2	5	3	4	12	37	14	6	17	11	2	5	34
Aston Villa	36	13	7	16	9	3	6	4	4	10	36	13	7	16	9	3	6	33
Newcastle	38	9	13	16	5	10	4	4	4	3	38	9	13	16	5	10	4	31
Liverpool	38	12	9	17	9	6	4	3	3	13	38	12	9	17	9	6	4	33
Chelsea	36	11	7	18	10	2	6	1	5	12	36	11	7	18	10	2	6	29
Birmingham	37	10	11	16	6	6	5	4	5	11	37	10	11	16	6	6	5	31
Sheffield U.	37	11	6	20	10	5	4	1	1	16	37	11	6	20	10	5	4	28

#### SECOND DIVISION.

	Total				Home				Away				Goals		Pts.	
	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.		
Grimsby	37	24	5	8	13	3	3	11	2	5	37	24	5	8	13	53
Preston	37	19	6	12	14	3	2	6	3	10	37	19	6	12	14	44
Bolton	37	19	6	12	12	2	5	7	4	7	37	19	6	12	12	44
Brentford	37	18	7	12	13	2	4	5	6	8	37	18	7	12	13	43
Bradford	36	20	2	14	14	2	3	6	0	11	36	20	2	14	14	42
Bradford City	37	18	4	15	13	2	3	5	2	12	37	18	4	15	13	40
West Ham	37	15	10	12	12	3	4	3	7	8	37	15	10	12	12	40
Port Vale	37	17	6	14	12	3	3	5	3	11	37	17	6	14	12	40
Blackpool	37	14	11	12	10	6	2	4	5	10	37	14	11	12	10	39
Plymouth	37	13	12	12	11	7	2	2	5	10	37	13	12	12	11	38
Barnley	37	16	6	15	13	2	4	3	4	11	37	16	6	15	13	38
Hull City	37	13	12	12	11	4	3	2	8	9	37	13	12	12	11	38
Oldham	37	14	9	14	10	5	4	4	4	10	37	14	9	14	10	37
Bury	37	14	8	15	11	3	4	3	5	11	37	14	8	15	11	36
Fulham	37	14	7	16	12	3	3	2	4	13	37	14	7	16	12	36
Southampton	36	13	10	15	13	2	3	0	6	12	36	13	10	15	13	34
Nottingham	36	11	10	15	8	6	3	3	4	12	36	11	10	15	8	32
Nottingham Forest	37	11	17	10	10	5	6	2	5	11	37	11	17	10	10	34
Swansea	37	8	13	16	8	8	2	0	5	14	37	8	13	16	8	29
Millwall	36	8	11	17	5	8	4	3	3	13	36	8	11	17	5	27
Manchester Utd.	37	12	3	22	8	2	9	4	1	13	37	12	3	22	8	27
Lincoln	37	8	7	22	7	6	6	1	1	16	37	8	7	22	7	23



# MALAYA'S HOCKEY TEAM ARRIVES IN COLONY

# COMMENTATORS RIDICULE U.S. DAVIS CUP HOPES

## BADMINTON CHAMPS

NICHOLS REGAINS MEN'S TITLE

SISTERS MEET IN LADIES' FINAL

London, Mar. 11. Badminton has advanced in popularity by such leaps and bounds that the space round the principal court at the Horticultural Hall, Westminster, yesterday afternoon, was wholly inadequate for all those who wished to see the finals.

Not a seat was empty when the day's programme started with an unprecedented happening—the meeting of two sisters in the final of the ladies' singles. These two were Miss Leonie and Miss Thelma Kingsbury, the former of whom won the championship in 1932, but was last year defeated by her sister in the semi-final.

Yesterday, however, there was no question as to which was the better player. In delicacy of touch, in power of smashing in quickness and general opportunism Miss Leonie showed a very clear superiority. She won the first game in eight minutes at 11-4, and though the second game took a good deal longer and was rather more closely fought, the winner only lost six points in it.

NICHOLS WINS AGAIN

In the men's singles R. C. F. Nichols, who won in 1932, was opposed by T. P. Dick, who, though more than once a finalist, has yet to achieve his ambition. Nichols is very accurate with his forehand drop strokes, which won him many points, and he kept an excellent length with his high service. His strength in clearing was also good; and, playing the less spectacular and acrobatic, but infinitely the steeper and better-balanced game, he won without losing a game. He started well by getting an 8-1 lead in the first game, and the second set, except for one brilliant period in which Dick ran from 0-3 to 4-3, went much the same way. After 8 all Nichols lost no more point, winning the last two by a fine cross-shot and a couple of gorgeous smashes.

### RESULTS.

Men's Singles Championship (Final Round).—R. C. F. Nichols beat T. P. Dick, 15-11, 15-8.  
Women's Singles Championship (Final Round).—Miss L. M. Kingsbury beat Miss T. Kingsbury, 11-4, 11-6.  
Men's Doubles Championship (Final Round).—D. C. Hume and R. M. White (holders) beat L. Nichols and R. C. F. Nichols, 15-12, 15-16, 15-7.  
Women's Doubles Championship (Final Round).—Mrs. M. Henderson and Miss T. Kingsbury (holders) beat Mrs. L. W. Myers and Miss B. E. Speaight, 15-8, 15-6.  
Mixed Doubles Championship (Final Round).—D. C. Hume and H. S. Usher (holders) beat L. C. Macneil and Mrs. R. J. Horley, 15-12, 15-10.  
Veterans' Doubles Championship (Final Round).—P. W. Wooster and A. Solomon (1) beat Major J. D. M. McCallum and J. H. C. Prior (2), 15-7, 15-8.

## POWERFUL FORWARD LINE

PRAYING FOR A DRY GROUND

PEN PICTURES OF PLAYERS

(By "Bully-Off")

"We are praying for dry grounds and if we get them we should do well" was the remark of Mr. B. Preedy, who is travelling with the Malayan Interport Hockey side which arrived here this morning on board the ss Naldora.

During the coming ten days Malaya will engage the Colony in an Interport hockey match and will also play several other eleven during their stay.

Mr. Preedy said that the team they brought up was one of the strongest they could raise. They were exceptionally strong in attack, the forward line including four F.M.S. players. Three of these were drawn from Clifford School, Kuala Kangsar. They were not sure how the defence would shape as they had not seen them in action. The half back line was one of the best possible to select.

Several alterations had been made from the originally selected team.

### THE PLAYERS.

Osman (inside left). The youngest member of the team, is only 17 years of age. He is one of the trio of Malayan Schoolboys who has done well for Clifford School, Kuala Kangsar, who were selected on bloc for the Perak state team. Later for the F.M.S. in the annual match against the Colony and now for Malaya, he first appeared in State trials at the end of last season, and this season has been regularly for the State of Perak. He is a fast forward showing good stickwork and excellent combination with his wing. A great opportunist. He headed the list of goals getters for his school and state, by scoring 14 goals in three matches on three consecutive days.

Rajah Mohamed (centre-forward). Another of the Schoolboy trio from Clifford School. He is a nephew and adopted son of the Sultan. He is a fast forward, a fine hockey player. He has played for the Perak state team for two years first at inside right, and later at centre. Earlier this year he played for the F.M.S. He combines well with the inside men and is a deadly shot. He has been the "baby" of the team being the smallest, though not the youngest of the Malay schoolboy trio. He was first tried for the State at the beginning of this season and has played regularly for the State since then. With the other two Clifford Malayan players he is probably the best inside forward playing hockey in Malaya at present, and follows closely behind Osman on the list of goals getters for School and State.



THE REWARD.—Mullane, Welsh captain, receives the Charity Cup from Mr. D. C. Wilson at the close of the game on Eastern Monday, when Wales beat China after a thrilling football match. (Photo: Mess Cheung).

## POPULARISING SWIMMING

IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF THE A.S.A.

London, March 10. Several steps towards popularising swimming as a national sport were taken by the Amateur Swimming Association at the annual meeting at Southport during the week-end.

National championships will, with few exceptions, be decided at a centralised meeting lasting three or four days, instead of being held at club galas throughout the country. This first central meeting will be next year in Blackpool or Southport.

English champions will be awarded statuettes for men and spoons for women, in place of gold medals, which one speaker said were not now appreciated.

It was decided to abolish the international water polo trial and the 600 yards championship and a women's club medley team race is to be instituted. The 440 yards championship will, in future, be held in fresh water and not salt water.

Mr. Harold E. Fern, hon secretary of the A.S.A., who was elected president, said to progress internationally England needed professional instructors with more knowledge of swimming technique, "but knowledge and personality must be paid for."

He thought swimming in the schools should not be left to ordinary teachers unless they were especially qualified.

best inside forward playing hockey in Malaya at present, and follows closely behind Osman on the list of goals getters for School and State. He is a very hard working forward who never seems to tire and despite his lack of inches is fast and a constant danger in the circle.

N. Calcutt (left wing). Is a teacher at Clifford School. Has played for the Perak State team for the last three years and for the F.M.S. for the past two years. A fast wing he times his centres well and combines well with Osman. He played an exceptionally fine game for the F.M.S. against the Colony in January. He is an all-round sportsman having played football for Perak and gained a place in cricket trials.

Adad Kahan, (right half). Is a teacher of the King Edward VII School, Taiping. During the last few years has played for Perak State and has been in the F.M.S. side during the past few seasons. A very hard worker with a keen sense of anticipation in his fast and fine all-round play, he is a good player for the State of Perak and is a good rugger Three.

### THE DEFENCE.

O. C. Aerin (goalkeeper). Has played for Malaya and the Singapore, is steady and shows good anticipation.

Che Rahman (Right back). Is from Clifford School and played for Perak during the whole of last season winning his State Colours. He is only 18 years of age. Was reserve back for the F.M.S. side against the Colony this year.

Abbas (left back). Hails from Raffles College, Singapore, and Malacca. He played for the Malacca side which is the equivalent to the State sides. Is a versatile player being as capable a half as he is 'full back'.

T. W. Morray (Singapore). Another right back. Has played in the Colony trials and for Singapore. When in England before coming East played at right back for St. Catherine's College, Cambridge.

C. O. La Brooy (centre half). Played for Malaya against the All India Olympic the All India team in 1932. Is an exceptionally fine half being able to play in any position in that line. F.M.S. player, hailing from Selangor.

C. R. La Brooy (left half). Only 19 years of age and has his Perak State Colours. A cousin to C. O. La Brooy.

J. S. da Souza (Singapore). Secretary of the side who will be included as half in one or two of the games. Plays a very steady and destructive game.

## Our Hockey Visitors

WHAT THEY WILL DO HERE

A meeting of the Council of the Hongkong Hockey Association was held at St. Andrew's Church Hall yesterday evening, with Mr. A. A. Dand (Vice-President) in the chair. Others present were Mr. F. A. Kemp (Hon. Secretary), Mr. R. H. Wong (Hon. Treasurer), Lt. Comdr. F. E. Leigh, Capt. R. C. H. Bates, Messrs. A. M. Xavier, F. G. Barros, A. E. Guest, H. E. Gubbay, K. Hussain and Surin Singh.

Final arrangements for the visit of the Malaya hockey team, which is due to arrive to-day aboard the P. and O. steamer Naldora, were made. The following programme was drawn up:

To-day: At 4.30 p.m. the visitors will be present to watch the Triangular Tournament match between the Navy and the Army at King's Park.

9.30 p.m. Queen's Theatre. Thursday: 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Visit to H.M.S. Eagle, H.M.S. Medway and Submarines.

2 p.m. Car ride round the Island. 5 p.m. Malaya v. Hongkong Civilians.

9 p.m. Eagle Concert Party, Royal Naval Canton Theatre. Friday: 11 a.m. Car ride round the New Territories. 5 p.m. Tea Dance (Hongkong Hotel).

Saturday: 4 p.m. Malaya v. Hongkong. 9 p.m. Talking pictures. Sunday: Visit to Macao, leaving at 8 a.m. boat.

4.30 p.m. Malaya v. Macao. There will be a dinner dance following the match and the players will return to Hongkong by the 3 a.m. boat.

Monday: 3 p.m. Car ride round Kowloon. Tuesday: 5 p.m. Malaya v. Combined Services.

8 p.m. Interport Dinner. Wednesday: Malaya sail by Blue Funnel steamer Antenor.

It was stated that H.E. the Governor, who is sailing for Japan on Friday with Lady Peel, had signified his intention of being present at the Interport match on Thursday. The Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern are attending the match, as guests of Mr. E. W. Hamilton, President of the Association, while H.E. the Commander-in-Chief, Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer and H.E. the Governor-General O. C. Barrett are also being invited.

### CIVILIANS TEAM.

The Hongkong Civilians' eleven was announced and approved, as follows: R. H. Wong (St. Andrew's Club); A. J. M. Rodrigues (University); and E. V. Reed (Hongkong Hockey Club); W. A. Reed (Hongkong Hockey Club); D. McLellan (Continued on Page 7).

## MR. PRENTIS ATTACKED

WHERE CRAWFORD & PERRY SCORE

GREATER POWERS OF CONCENTRATION

In discussing America's Davis Cup prospects, *Latent Tennis* and *Hedimton* asks:

What of America? Her series of reverses in the important championships of last year have been taken to heart and a well-prepared attack is being planned. Mr. B. S. Prentice, chairman of the U.S. Davis Cup committee, is optimistic in spite of the many adverse opinions expressed in America on this year's prospects. "I personally am far from defeated," he says. "I have full assurance from G. M. Lott that he is not interested in the present offer. He and John van Ryn constitute one of the outstanding double teams of the world and are available. Sidney Wood, Wimbledon champion in 1931 and unavailable for play last year, is a candidate. He played outstanding tennis in the American championship. Frank Shields's game has improved tremendously during the last year and he is certainly an important candidate for this year's team, and there are many others."

### CAUSTIC REPLY.

The American journal, *Sport* makes a caustic reply to Mr. Prentice's observations. Our contemporary says: "Shields, playing the one-sided game he does, hasn't got a chance against a healthy Perry or Crawford. Frank's all right at the net, but get him away from the webbing and he's as lost as Livingstone ever was. Crawford—and a sick Crawford at that—pinned Frank's ears back in the semi-finals at Forest Hills, so how does Mr. Prentice figure Frank'll be the best of the Americans to-day, but still Crawford licked him. The many others Mr. Prentice mentions is puzzling. Who are they? True the 48 states are running over with young men who possess dapper pants, rakish and a liking for the game, but unfortunately, that's about all they have got."

A more reasoned criticism is given in *American Lawn Tennis*, which agrees that play in the United States has not fallen to such a low standard since 1928. It is perfectly plain, says our contemporary, that United States must begin anew and build up the edifice that has been shattered in a few months. If American players appear in a list of the world's first ten for 1933 it will be partly due to their past performance and belief in potentialities. On play during 1933 chief honours go to Australia, Great Britain, and to France and Japan quite as much as to United States. Even on the showing of the American championship there, the big promise is the Australian.

side from Crawford, as there is in the championship players. Great Britain is the champion nation because in Perry and Austin who has players of the very first rank, capable of revealing their best form on the occasion when it is most needed. The big championships well as Australia, France, England and United States—are held by Crawford and Perry. The big reason applies there. When the need was greatest the British and the Australians produced their best. No answer could be more complete and convincing.

### ONLY EVANESCENT.

Yet gloomy as is the American outlook, *American Lawn Tennis* is convinced that the present condition is evanescent rather than lasting. "Overweening confidence has received a shock and it is not likely to obtrude itself in the future. That both physical and mental fitness are essential to the winning of championships is another lesson that has been taught. A third factor is that this game of ours is one of many strokes, in the employment of all of which players who go to the top must be proficient. The all court game is further emphasised. Impatience, the desire to win strokes right off the bat, is in

## Dorothy Round In Jamaica

BEATEN BY MISS JACOBS

The British ladies' team competed in the Jamaica championships shortly after their arrival at Kingston, and one or more of them took part in the finals of all the women's events.

### MEN'S SINGLES.

Semi-Final.—Lott bt H. Daves 6-2 6-4. Leaching bt Marcel Rainville 2-6 2-6 6-1 6-0 8-6.  
Final.—Lott bt Rainville 6-2 6-1 6-2.

### WOMEN'S SINGLES.

Quarter Final.—Miss K. E. Stammers bt Mrs. Davis 6-3 6-2; Miss D. E. Round bt Miss V. Rice 6-3 6-1; Miss H. Jacobs bt Miss F. James 6-3 6-3; Miss M. Heeley bt Mrs. Peulle 6-0 6-1.  
Semi-Final.—Miss Round bt Miss Stammers 6-2 6-3; Miss Jacobs bt Miss Heeley 7-5 6-0.  
Final.—Miss Jacobs bt Miss Round 6-4 6-1.

### MEN'S DOUBLES.

Final.—D. Leaching and H. Daves bt G. M. Lott and Linds 7-5 6-3 1-6 8-6.

### WOMEN'S DOUBLES.

Final.—Miss James and Miss Stammers bt Miss Round and Miss Heeley 7-5 7-0 6-1.

### MIXED DOUBLES.

Quarter Final.—Marcel Rainville and Miss Round bt Daves and Miss Heeley 6-3 7-5; G. M. Lott and Miss H. Jacobs bt D. Leaching and Miss James 7-6 6-4 6-2.  
Semi-Final.—M. Rainville and Miss Round bt Gilbert Hall and Miss V. Rice 7-5 5-7 6-3; G. M. Lott and Miss Jacobs bt B. M. Clark and Miss Stammers 6-2 6-3.  
Final.—Lott and Miss Jacobs bt Rainville and Miss Round 1-6 6-3 6-4.

the discard. Serve and volley cannot be counted on to win outright. The cannon-ball serve can be robbed of half its terror, the winning volley cannot be brought off if the volleyer is prevented from receiving a set-up at the net. Nor will it do to go to the other extreme—as some wish to do—as a rule, the player who preaches the gospel of steadiness, of endless keeping the ball in play. Speed is still the winning shot, and it will continue to prevail if it is coupled with accuracy. Perry is the living proof of this. In all of his big matches he has had the pace. It was most in evidence against Crawford at Forest Hills. No more inspiring and enthralling sight has been witnessed than that of Perry preparing the way of an advance to the net and then going in and finishing with a volley worthy of the greatest exponent of that stroke.

### NECESSITY OF SPEED.

Speed, great speed, is not passe, concludes *American Lawn Tennis*. "Indeed, it is even more necessary now when the rallies are sustained as they were in the splendid days of Tilden and Lacoste. Johnston hit hard, from start to finish, whether he drove or went to the barrier to volley; and so did Williams to an even greater degree—his speed has never been surpassed. Richards did not baby them when he had worked up to a kill. Horstra did not eschew the net. It was most in spite of his propensity to stand in the middle of the court and deal purposefully with everything that came on his side of the net. Even Austin at Roland Garros, when he stayed back and returned everything and kept his strokes down unbelievably, got pace on the ball when the proper time had come. Some of his smashes and his swift interceptions at the net were as fine as anything could be, while he could apply power to his drives and keep them out of the way of the feet-footed Allison and the lightning-fast Vivian. Even Crawford, with his perfectly-produced but seemingly paceless drives, makes these shots travel. A classic example was the drive with which he passed Vines in the last game of their five set battle in the English championship. It he led than an inch to keep from overshooting the line and it sped to its mark like a bullet."

## L. T. A. ANNUAL MEETING.

TO BE HELD FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

Secretaries of clubs affiliated to the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association, are reminded that the annual general meeting of the L.T.A., will be held on Friday afternoon in the Sanitary Board Room, P.O. Building, at 5.30, when the chair will be taken by His Honour, Mr. Justice Lindell, the President.

Representatives of new clubs desirous of joining the tennis league this year are also invited to attend.

## BADMINTON'S BIG STEP.

The Badminton Association is to be reconstituted solely as an English national association, and the general control of the game will, as soon as practicable, be transferred to a properly constituted International Federation. This was decided at the annual general meeting at the Royal Horticultural Hall, London.

## SPORT ADVTS.

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Third Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday, 14th April, 1934, (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; The Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road. Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 5th April, 1934.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

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## Army Boxing Competitions

FIRST BATCH OF FINALS TO-NIGHT: SEMI-FINAL RESULTS

The finals of the Inter-Unit and the Inter-Unit Novices' Boxing Competitions of the Hongkong Area Sports Board will be decided this evening in the Open Air Ring at Shamshuipo commencing at 7.45 p.m. Next Wednesday, April 11, the same time and place, the Individual Championships and the Individual Novices' Championships will be held.

### THE SEMI-FINALS.

The semi-finals of the competition were held last night at Shamshuipo Barracks, when some interesting and spectacular boxing was closely followed by a large crowd of spectators. The full results were—  
Inter-Unit Novices' Competition Light-Weight:—L/Cpl. Watkins (S.W.B.) beat Gnr. Warren (R.A.) on points.  
Middle-Weight:—Pte. Pugh (S.W.B.) beat Gnr. Coyle (R.A.) on points.  
Second Stage Welter-Weight:—Gnr. Lucas (R.A.) knocked out Pte. Windsor (S.W.B.) on points.  
Light-Weight:—Pte. Thomas (S.W.B.) beat Gnr. Wilson (R.A.) on points.  
Feather-Weight:—Pte. Bower (S.W.B.) was awarded a walk over as the Royal Artillery were unable to find an entrant.  
Bantam Weight:—Both the Borderers and the Royal Artillery were unable to find entrants.  
First Stage Welter-Weight:—Gnr. Iven (R.A.) beat Pte. Cox (S.W.B.) on points.

The Borderers led by 10 points to 7 at the conclusion of last night's fights.  
Light-Weight:—Pte. Gray (East Lanc's) knocked out Pte. Keegan (

(Line's).  
Middle-Weight:—Pte. Dillon (East Lanc's) beat Cpl. Petchey (Line's) on points.  
Second Stage Welter-Weight:—Pte. Herbert (East Lanc's) knocked out Pte. Wilson (Line's).

Light-Weight:—Pte. Powley (East Lanc's) knocked out Pte. Beckley (Line's).  
Feather-Weight:—Bdm. Luff (East Lanc's) knocked out Pte. Chisholm (Line's).

Bantam Weight:—Pte. Ralston of the East Lanc's was awarded a walk over as the Line's were unable to find an entrant.

First Stage Welter-Weight:—L/Cpl. Smith (East Lanc's) beat L/Cpl. Lockett (Line's) on points.

### INTER UNIT COMPETITION.

Light-Heavyweight:—Pte. Jordan (East Lanc's) beat Pte. Thomas (S.W.B.) on points.  
Middle-Weight:—Pte. Sage (East Lanc's) beat Pte. Gilmore (S.W.B.) on points.

Second Stage Welter-Weight:—Pte. Nielson (East Lanc's) beat L/Cpl. Jones (S.W.B.) on points.  
Light-Weight:—D. M. Quiller (East Lanc's) beat Pte. Cody (S.W.B.) on points.

Feather-Weight:—Pte. Whitehouse of the East Lanc's was awarded a walk over as the Borderers were unable to find an entrant.  
Bantam Weight:—Pte. Bennett (East Lanc's) was awarded a technical knock-out over Pte. Owens (S.W.B.) in the third round of their bout.

First Stage Welter-Weight:—Pte. Robert (S.W.B.) beat L/Cpl. Mason (East Lanc's) on points.

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Events of considerable interest  
to Kowloon church goers attracted  
a large gathering to St. Andrew's  
Church Hall last night.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, M.A., the  
newly appointed vicar of St. An-  
drew's Church, and his wife, were  
welcomed, and official good-byes  
were said to the retiring minister,  
the Rev. W. Walton Rogers and  
Mrs. Rogers, and to the following  
members of the congregation who  
are shortly leaving the Colony—  
Mr. J. H. Hunt, lay reader, and  
Mrs. Hunt; Mr. J. W. Baldwin;  
Vicar's Warden, and Mrs. Baldwin;  
Mr. F. W. E. Dann, hon. secretary  
of the Church Council, and Mrs.  
Dann.

Among those present, in addi-  
tion to the above were Dean Swann,  
on his own behalf and represent-  
ing Bishop Hall, Mrs. Swann; the  
Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Nash, Rev.  
Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Allen, Rev. H.  
D. Baines, Mr. W. H. C. Robson  
(People's Warden); Mr. E. C.  
Thomas, Mr. R. H. Wong (repre-  
senting St. Andrew's Club); Mr.  
and Mrs. R. Baldwin, Dean Mrs.  
Matthews, Mr. F. W. Skapleton,  
Dr. K. L. Reichelt, Mr. C. B. R.  
Sargent, Mr. A. W. Ingram, Mr.  
and Mrs. R. S. Barrett, and Mr.  
and Mrs. W. S. Bailey.

The Rev. Mr. Rogers welcomed  
his successor and Mrs. Higgs, and  
said they could be assured of the  
heartly support of the congrega-  
tion. The seven years he and his  
wife had spent here had been  
among the happiest of their lives  
and he hoped that the newcomers  
would be similarly fortunate. Mr.  
Higgs was something of an athlete  
and took part in running, football  
and hockey which would commend  
him to the younger section of the  
church.

Former Curate.

The Rev. Mr. Higgs replied that  
he had received a welcome which  
was so warm that he was sure his  
stay in the Colony would be a

## WORK ON CUNARDER.

AFTER LONG DELAY NEW  
START MADE

London, Apr. 3.  
After two and a half years,  
work was resumed to-day on the  
giant Cunarder, Number 534,  
which will be the largest and prob-  
ably the fastest liner in the  
world.

Nearly 6,000 men, including  
shipbuilding, engineers and sub-  
contractors, will eventually be  
employed on the ship, it is  
estimated.—*British Wireless.*

Smiles on Clydebank.  
London, Apr. 3.  
When work on No. 534 was re-  
sumed on Clydebank this morning  
by 400 men, the Clydebank smiled  
again. Ultimately 6,000 men will  
be employed.—*Reuter.*

happy one. He owed his arrival  
in his new ministry to the Rev.  
G. E. Arrowsmith, a former curate  
here, and was also a friend of the  
Rev. G. R. Lindsay, one-time Vicar  
of St. Andrew's Church. He  
wished to associate himself and his  
wife very heartily with the good  
wishes of the congregation to their  
retiring minister.

Mr. Stapleton, as one of the  
oldest members of the church,  
made a presentation from the con-  
gregation of a cheque to the Rev.  
and Mrs. Rogers and the follow-  
ing gifts from the same source  
were made to the other retiring  
members: Mr. and Mrs. J. W.  
Baldwin, a beautiful carved ivory  
ornament; Mr. and Mrs. D. Ann,  
linen; Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, a black-  
wood tray inlaid with silver.

The recipients expressed their  
appreciation of the tokens of  
esteem in suitable terms.

Songs were given during the  
evening by Mrs. Robson, Messrs.  
J. W. Baldwin, R. Baldwin, H. J.  
Best, and C. W. E. Bishop.

Refreshments were also served.  
Four books were presented to  
the Rev. Mr. Rogers by Dean  
Swann on behalf of the Anglican  
clergy both English and Chinese.

## BURN TO DEATH

EIGHT PERISH IN CHAPEL  
FIRE

Shanghai, Apr. 3.  
Eight Chinese, including a  
family of four, were burned to  
death this morning in Chapel and  
the owner of the house in which  
the fire originated was promptly  
arrested after the blaze had been  
subdued and an investigation  
made.

The fire was fanned by a strong  
breeze and destroyed five build-  
ings after blazing furiously for  
two hours, in spite of the strenu-  
ous efforts of firemen.

This is the eighth disastrous  
fire in Shanghai native territory  
in the last thirty days.

The victims were a young  
mother her two sons and baby  
daughter, a man and his wife and  
daughter, and the brother of the  
man who was arrested, eight in  
all.—*Reuter.*

## REBUKED BY POPE.

NAZI PROPAGANDA IS PAGAN  
IN TEND

Berlin, Apr. 3.

Nazi propaganda was sharply re-  
buked by the Pope in an Easter  
message to Catholic Youth or-  
ganization in Germany, published  
in the Catholic organ *Koehnische-  
Volks Zeitung* to-day.

The Pope praised the unswerving  
loyalty of the young men and  
women to the Church, despite their  
hardships, and despite propaganda  
working for a new way of life  
which points away from Christ and  
back towards Paganism.

The message assures the Catho-  
lic organizations that their cause is  
"our cause."

The greatest importance is at-  
tached to the message owing to the  
fact that Vice-Chancellor Von  
Papen is now in Rome.—*Reuter.*

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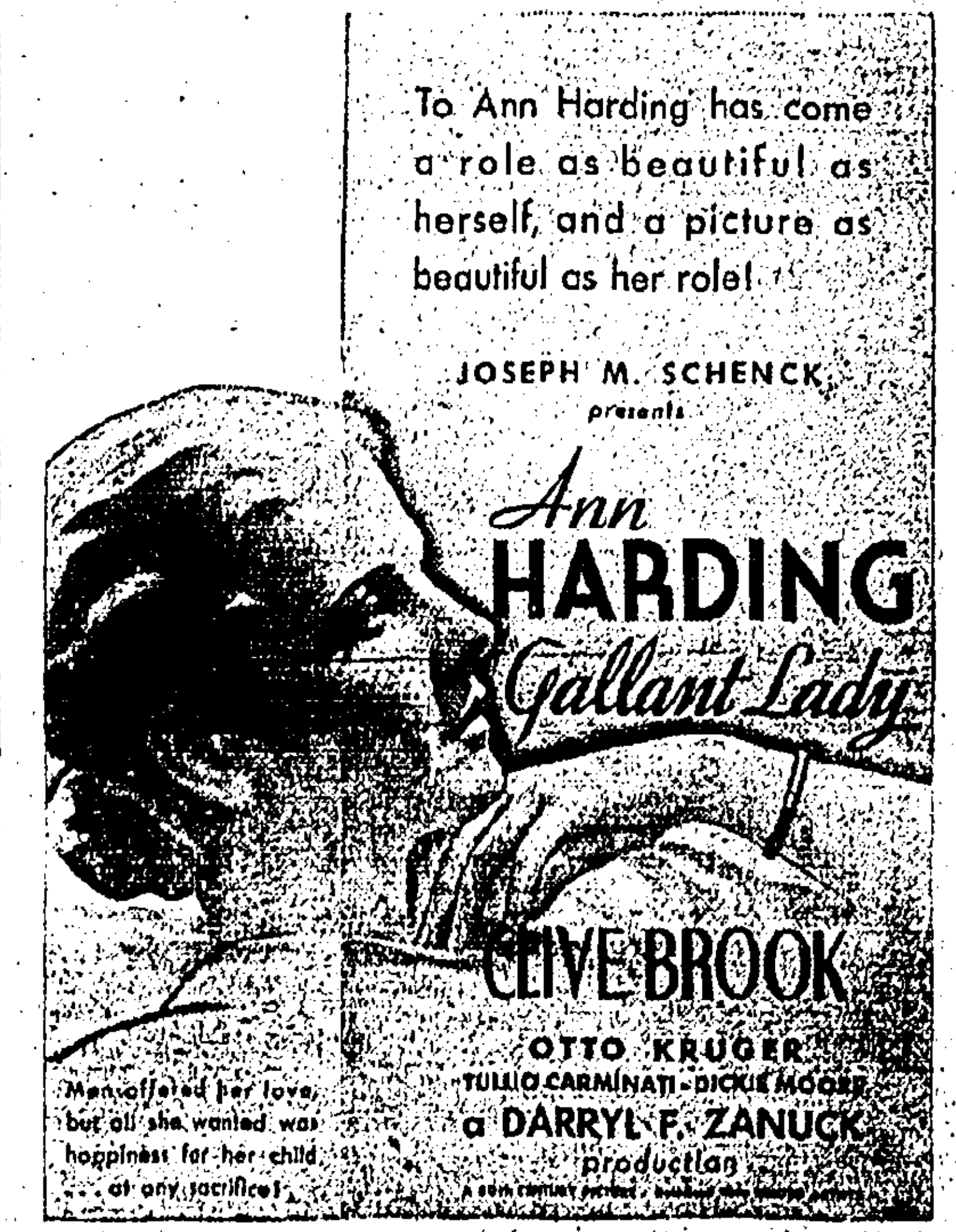


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celled.  
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to marry, but wishes an alliance  
with a certain country having  
Ethiopian interests.  
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international strings in order to  
cause cancellation of the marriage  
plans.—*United Press.*  
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Paris, April 3.  
Vice-Admiral Martin, the French air expert, was killed to-day when an amphibian plane in which he was flying crashed while alighting on the Seine near Ablons. The pilot and mechanic were both uninjured.—*Reuter*.

HUGE  
AMERICAN  
DEFICITMR. MORGENTHAU  
WORRIEDLATEST TREASURY  
RETURNS

Washington, Apr. 3.  
American Government finances are in a state which may cause a considerable recasting of Mr. Morgenthau's ideas regarding his programme for the immediate future.

The Treasury's latest returns of revenue and expenditure, showing a deficit of \$2,500,000,000 in the first nine months of the current fiscal year, are causing concern in Administration circles.

Mr. Morgenthau, the Secretary of the Treasury Department, has announced that he has been studying the problem of liquor revenue, which has fallen below the estimates.

The Treasury is considering whether lower tariffs might bring increased revenue.

It was indicated that no decision has been reached, but recommendations are likely to be submitted to Congress in due course.

## RE-FINANCING.

The weight of the deficit also affects the Treasury's re-financing plans.

An important announcement in this sphere is expected to be made shortly and market circles generally expect the issue of long-term bonds or notes in exchange for the fourth series of Liberty Bonds.

It is considered possible that there will be a limited cash offering as a safeguard in case only part of the Liberty Bonds are returned for exchange.—*Reuter*.

U.S. CONVERSION  
OFFERFOURTH LIBERTY  
BOND EXCHANGE

Washington, April 3.  
The Treasury has issued details of an offer of ten to twelve-year 3½ per cent. Treasury Bonds in exchange for \$1,000,000,000 of Fourth Liberty Bonds maturing on April 15, and \$244,000,000 of Treasury Notes maturing on May 2.

No cash subscriptions to the issue will be accepted.—*Reuter*.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS.  
CUNNINGHAMWife of U.S. Consul-  
General in Shanghai

Shanghai, Apr. 4.  
Taken suddenly ill at Hangchow where she had been spending the Easter holidays, Mrs. E. S. Cunningham, wife of the American Consul-General in Shanghai, died at ten o'clock this morning after a two-days' illness.—*Reuter*.

MYSTERY  
DOCUMENT  
FOUNDLEADING PEOPLE  
INVOLVEDPUBLICATION  
LIKELY

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Paris, April 3.  
Certain persons prominent in political circles are again trembling in their shoes as the result of a fresh development in the Stavisky affair.

A mysterious document which was found in the possession of a man recently arrested is expected to figure prominently shortly in connection with the investigations into the Stavisky scandals.

The document is said to seriously involve a former member of the French Cabinet, several members of the Chamber of Deputies and a famous inspector of the Surete-Generale.

It is believed that the police, acting on the instructions of the Government intend shortly to issue the text of the document for publication, exposing the names of the persons involved.—*Reuter's Special Service*.

SOLDIER TAKES  
MOTOR-CARJOY-RIDE WHICH SOON  
ENDED

Private S. Burt, of "B" Company South Wales Borderers, Murray Barracks, a native of Blangarro, Glamorgan, South Wales, was fined \$20 by Mr. Hamilton in the Central Police Court this morning on charges of driving private car No. 2334 at Chater Road without an appropriate licence and driving the car without the permission of the owner, Dr. S. C. Ho.

Traffic-Inspector Nicol said Dr. Ho left his car parked in Chater Road near the Hongkong Cricket Club on April 2 and at 10 p.m. returned to find that the car was missing. He reported to the police. Traffic Sergeant Youe found the car in Pokfulam Road near the University recreation ground, with the defendant in it. He had run short of petrol. One of the mudguards were dented. Burt pleaded guilty, but made no statement.

The Magistrate:—I will take as lenient a view as I can, but this sort of thing has got to stop.

HOLY YEAR  
INDULGENCESPAPAL BULL ISSUED  
BY VATICAN

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Vatican City, April 3.  
A Papal Bull has been issued extending Holy Year Indulgences to the world.

The Bull instructs Bishops to name special churches in each diocese which Catholics must visit to obtain the Indulgences.

The Papal Message also contains a warning against the spread of atheism in the world.—*Reuter's Special Service*.

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Mr. Jorge Richard Rasmussen, mercantile marine, of Shanghai, to Miss Louise May, teacher, of 6D, Garden Road, Hongkong.



The new Cunarder, No. 534, lying in John Brown's yard on the Clyde, on which work was resumed yesterday, after postponement for two years.

MR. W. H. WOODIN  
UNWELLSENT TO HOSPITAL  
IN NEW YORK

(Special to "Telegraph")

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New York, Apr. 4.  
Mr. William H. Woodin, former Secretary of the Treasury Department, has been ordered into hospital for observation, following the development of a throat malady.—*United Press*.

## STOP PRESS

Stockholm, April 4.

The famous diary of Ivar Kreuger, the discredited Match King, is to be burned.

This decision has been made by the Trustees of his bankrupt estate.

The diary, which was one of the chief keys in the police investigations, contains details of his fraudulent transactions, his associates, his relations with political parties and his love affairs.

Gigantic offers were made for the world rights of publication, but all were refused.—*Reuter*.

The Hague, April 4.

Abandoning its former standpoint against militarism and armaments in Holland, the Social Democrat Labour Party, the second largest in the country, has decided to work for disarmament only on international lines and to participate in the government if so required.

Events in Austria and Germany are held responsible for this definite change of policy. The party states that it is prepared to fight for real democracy, the ideal for which it believes France is maintaining such a large military organisation.—*Reuter*.

PIPER'S  
HAIL  
THE DAY ON  
CLYDEBANKMARCH WORKERS TO  
NEW CUNARDER

London, April 3.

A band of pipers, playing a Scottish marching tune, led the first contingent of men to resume work on the great Cunarder known at present as No. 534, to the building yard of Messrs. John Brown and Company at Clydebank this morning.

It was a notable day on Clydebank for no work has been done on the great Cunarder for over two years.

To-day only 400 men began work, but the numbers will steadily increase until in a few weeks 6,000 men will be employed on her.

At present the shell is complete except for the stern and it is hoped that the vessel will be ready for launching in the autumn.

In preparation for that event, \$35,000 has been spent in widening and deepening the Clyde.

The vessel will have a tonnage of 73,000 and will be the largest and probably the fastest in world.

The resumption of work follows the passing of the legislation empowering the Government to advance up to \$9½ millions to Cunard-White Star Merger Company.—*British Wireless*.

SAMUEL INSULL  
ARRESTAMERICAN THANKS  
TO TURKEY

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Apr. 3.  
Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, has cabled to the Turkish Government expressing sincere gratification at the expeditious handling of the arrest and extradition of Mr. Samuel Insull.—*United Press*.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Hotel announce that there will be a special carnival dinner dance at the Regulus Bay Hotel on Saturday, 7th inst., owing to the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel being given over for the St. John Ambulance Society's function.

LETICIA  
AFFAIR  
FLARES-UPPEACE NEGOTIATIONS  
BROKEN OFF

TROOPS MOVING

London, April 4.

Fresh War clouds are looming ominously in the Leticia region, and the storm may break at any time.

Both Peru and Colombia are mobilising with a view to settling their rival claims by force of arms.

The threat of another war in South America, in addition to the Bolivian-Paraguayan dispute in the Gran Chaco, arises from the breakdown of the peace conference at Rio de Janeiro between the representatives of Peru and Colombia, who have been trying to adjust their differences concerning the Amazonian territory of Leticia.

It will be recalled that Leticia was seized in September, 1932, by a band of Peruvian filibusters, whose action was afterwards endorsed by the Peruvian Government.

## LEAGUE INTERVENTION.

Fighting between the two countries occurred almost immediately, but the hostilities were brought to an end in May last year as the result of the intervention of the League of Nations.

Since that time, a League Commission has been administering the Leticia territory while the negotiations for the settlement of the dispute proceeded.

With news of the breakdown of discussions, comes a report that both countries are moving military forces towards Leticia in readiness for a resumption of hostilities.—*Reuter*.

CHINA'S ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENTINTERNATIONAL AID  
POSSIBLE

Nanking, April 4.

Although he denied the existence of any proposal for the organisation of an international consortium to raise a big loan for China, Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, admitted to-day that there was good prospect of financial assistance from foreign interests interested in the economic recovery of China.

He said China would welcome international investment for the development of China's resources.—*Central News*.

EX-AMBASSADOR  
BEREAVEDDEATH OF LADY  
SYBIL GRAHAM

London, Apr. 3.

The death occurred in London to-day, following an operation, of Lady Sybil Graham, wife of Sir Ronald Graham, until his recent retirement British Ambassador in Rome.

Lady Sybil was a daughter of the Earl of Middleton.—*British Wireless*.

## DRIZZLE OR RAIN.

The anticyclone has moved into the Pacific to the south-east of Japan and another is developing over Mongolia. The Manchurian depression is passing into the Sea of Japan and a shallow depression covers Indo-China. Local forecast:—N. E. winds, moderate; cloudy generally with mist, drizzle or light rain.

TEXTILE PARLEY  
BREAKDOWNGovernments To Talk  
Over Situation

London, Apr. 3.

A communication received by the Board of Trade from the Japanese Embassy in London intimates the readiness of the Japanese Government to discuss with the United Kingdom Government the situation arising out of the breakdown of the recent negotiations between the delegates of the British and Japanese textile industries.—*British Wireless*.

BRITAIN GOING  
BACK TO WORKREDUCTIONS IN  
UNEMPLOYMENTCOMFORTING  
FIGURES

London, Apr. 3.

Another large reduction in the number of unemployed persons in the British Isles is announced to-night.

Figures issued by the Labour Ministry show that on March 19 there were approximately 10,058,000 insured persons aged 16 to 64 in employment in Great Britain. This was 117,000 more than the month before and 644,000 more than the year before.

Improvement in employment extends to nearly all the principal industries.

Those in which it is most marked include building and public works contracting, tailoring, iron and steel manufacture, engineering and ironfounding, shipbuilding and shiprepairing, metal goods manufacture, motor vehicle building, coalmining, printing and bookbinding, the cotton industry, the distributive trades and shipping, dock and harbour, and hotel and boarding house services.

There was a slight decline in employment in the wool textile industry.

## UNEMPLOYED FIGURES.

The numbers of unemployed persons on the employment exchange registers in Great Britain were 1,796,787 wholly unemployed, 312,622 temporarily stopped, and 92,168 normally in casual employment, making a total of 2,201,577.

This was 116,332 less than the month before and 574,697 than the year before.

The total on March 19 comprised 1,808,290 men, 49,212 boys, 304,523 women and 39,562 girls.

ROOSEVELT ILLNESS  
RUMOURSDenied in Wireless from  
Yacht

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Miami, April 4.  
Refuting Wall Street rumours that President Roosevelt has been taken ill aboard the Astor yacht, Nourmahal, a wireless message from the vessel states that all aboard are well and happy.—*United Press*.

LIVING BUDDHA  
INTERVIEWEDTIBET REGENCY  
RUMOURSDENIES INTENTION  
TO ACCEPT

A denial of a reported intention on his part to accept the Regency of Tibet, in place of the Panchen Lama, the accepted nominee of both the Chinese Government and the Grand Council of Lamas at Lhasa, was issued by the Sikiang Living Buddha this morning.

The interview, which took place at the home of a devoted disciple at No. 53, Robinson Road, was attended by much formality.

It was the hour for granting audiences, and fortunately happening to arrive during a break in a continuous succession of callers, the *Telegraph* representative was able to secure the desired interview and the services of a Mandarin interpreter.

An old man wearing a close fitting skull-cap, purple robes, and the serene countenance characteristic of all Buddhist representations, was found sitting on a sofa. A platter of fruit lay conveniently within reach on a table, while over all hung the heavy odour of incense.

The Living Buddha rose courteously to greet our representative.

Our representative said:—You are credited with an intention to accept the Regency of Tibet. The interpreter having secured his reply, assured the interviewer that it was in the decided negative.

Q. "Who then, will be the Regent?"

A. "The Panchen Lama."

Q. "Will he be opposed when he enters Tibet?"

A. "I do not think so. The Tibetans want him."

Q. "Who is at present managing State affairs at Lhasa?"

A. "The nephew of the late Dalai Lama."

Q. "Do you think he will oppose the entry of the Panchen Lama?"

A. "I do not think so."

Q. "Have you been invited at any time to assume the position of Regent?"

A. "No, but the Panchen Lama has suggested that I should go back to Sikiang and be Lama of my own province."

Q. "But are you not that already?"

A. "So I am, but I have been away for more than twelve years, and it is now suggested I should return to Sikiang."

Q. "Where will you go after your visit to Canton?"

A. "Back to Nanking."

With that the interview closed.

## TIBET MISSION

ANNOUNCE DEPARTURE  
FOR SHANGHAI

(Special to "Telegraph")

Nanking, April 4.  
The Panchen Lama's local office has received a telegram from the Tibetan delegation, which consists of fifty members, headed by An Chien Lama, stating that they are sailing for Shanghai from Calcutta.

On their arrival, the Tibetan delegation will accompany the Panchen Lama to Hangchow where a Buddhist Prayer Meeting will be held.—*Central News*.

## NANKING EN FE

CHILDREN'S DAY  
FESTIVAL

Nanking, April 4.

The city of Nanking was in a holiday mood to-day, as over 30,000 children and school boys are participating in the "Children's Day" Festival, this afternoon. Prizes have been widely distributed to children.—*Central News*.

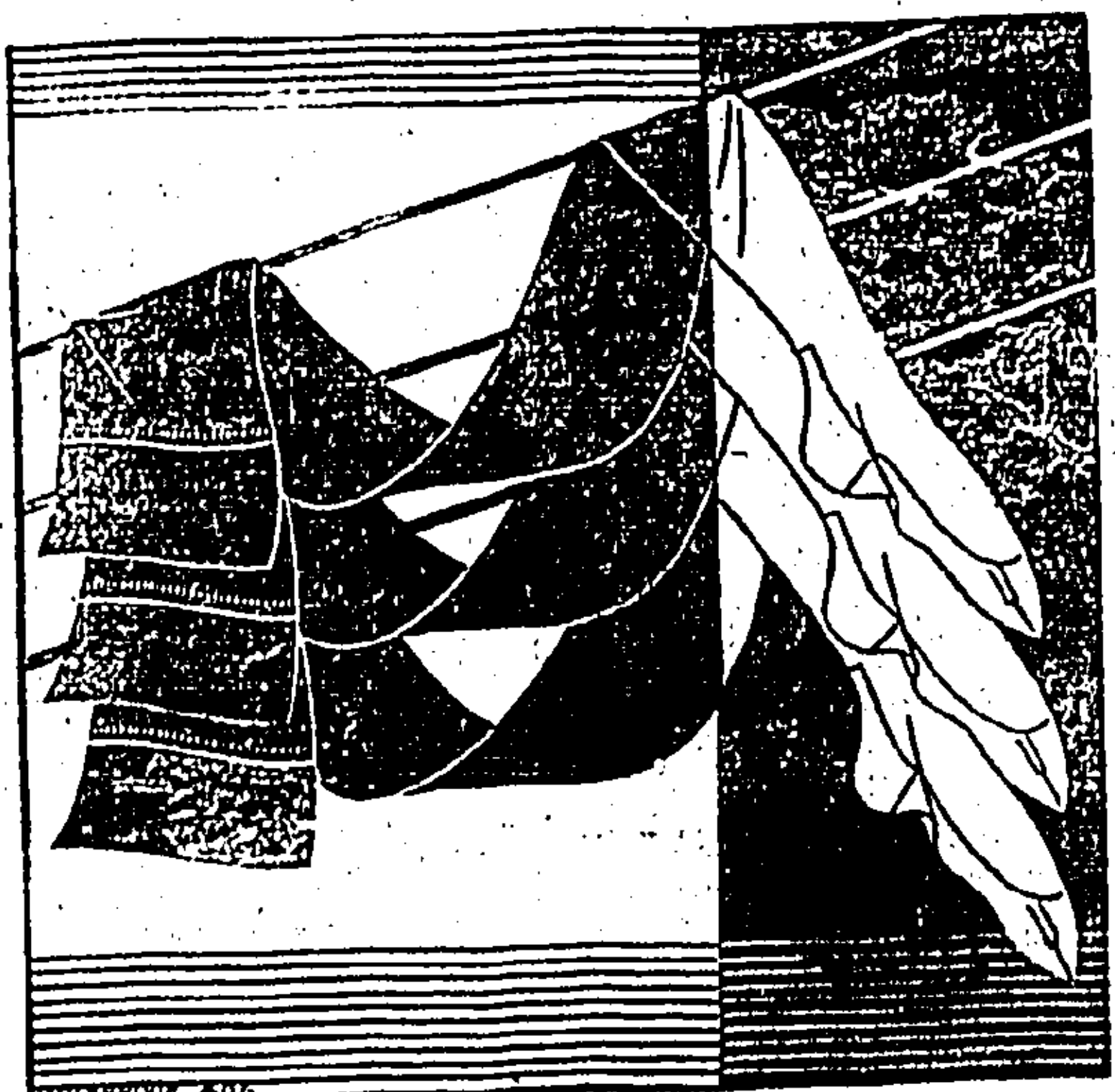




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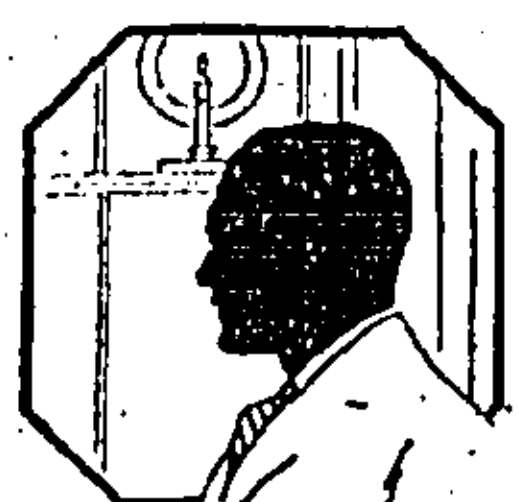
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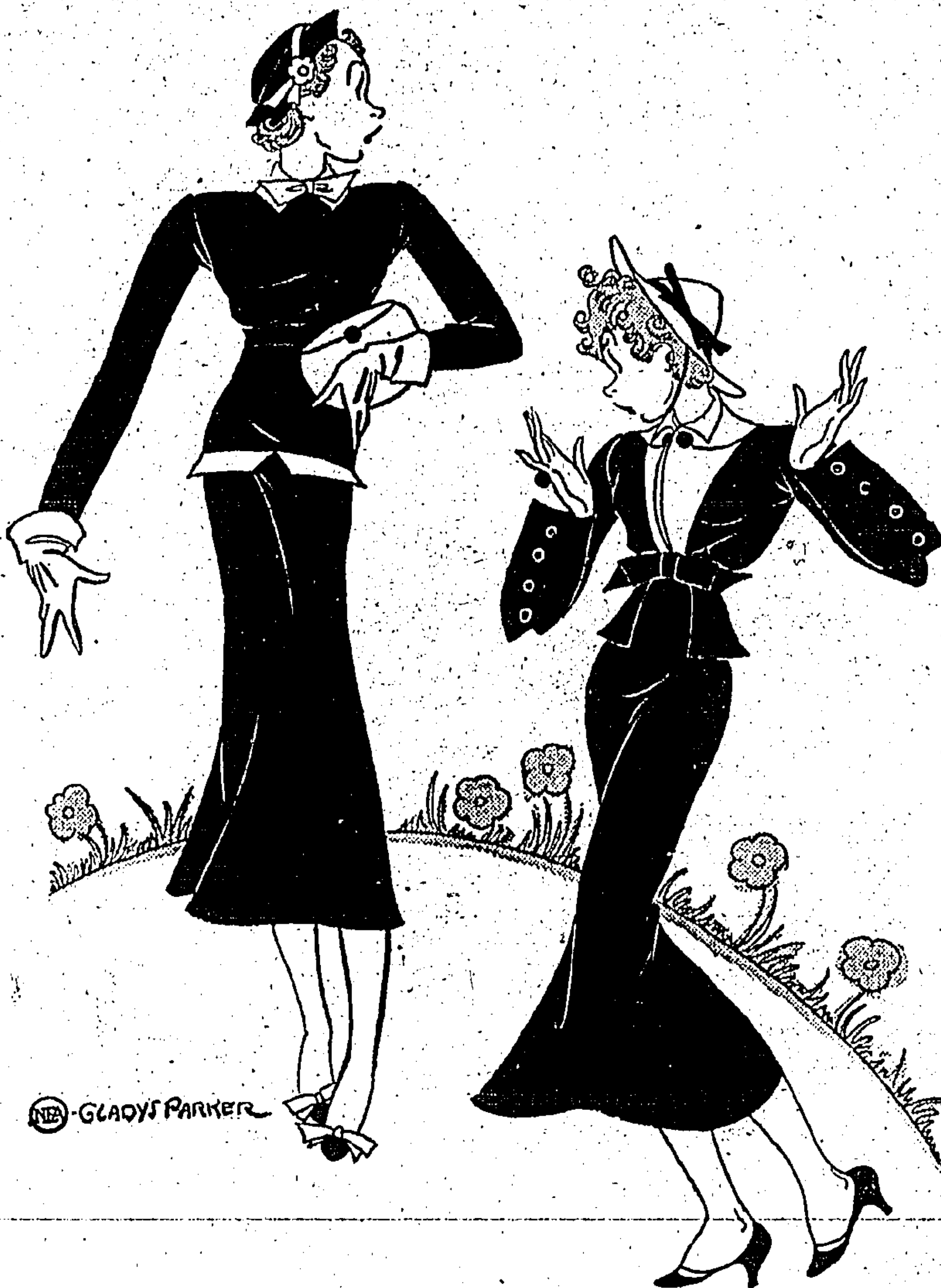


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About the middle of March came that annual slump. Window panes look grimy and complexions grayish green. That is the time for the smart girl to buy a new dress with that "winter's far behind" look.

Crisp white pique with black always makes a most satisfactory first frock for spring. For while it does nicely under the winter coat, it's fresh, starched appearance will carry you suavely on into the warmer months when a coat is no longer necessary.

"White Tie," at the left of the sketch, is classic simplicity itself. The pique forming the tiny collar, cuffs and hipband is its only decoration. Although this little number is of dateless chic, it should bring in innumerable engagements.

The dress at the right of the sketch has a misleading two-piece appearance. It's really convenient, all-in-one, with an unusual patent leather belt topping the trick little peplum. The windblown gilet of

the white pique unsnaps for laundering. Linked buttons fasten the neck and sleeves.

In the cause of economy you can make any simple black dress into a brand new outfit by adding a white vest of linen or pique. These are sleeveless and tailored buttoning down the front.

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By Alicia Hart

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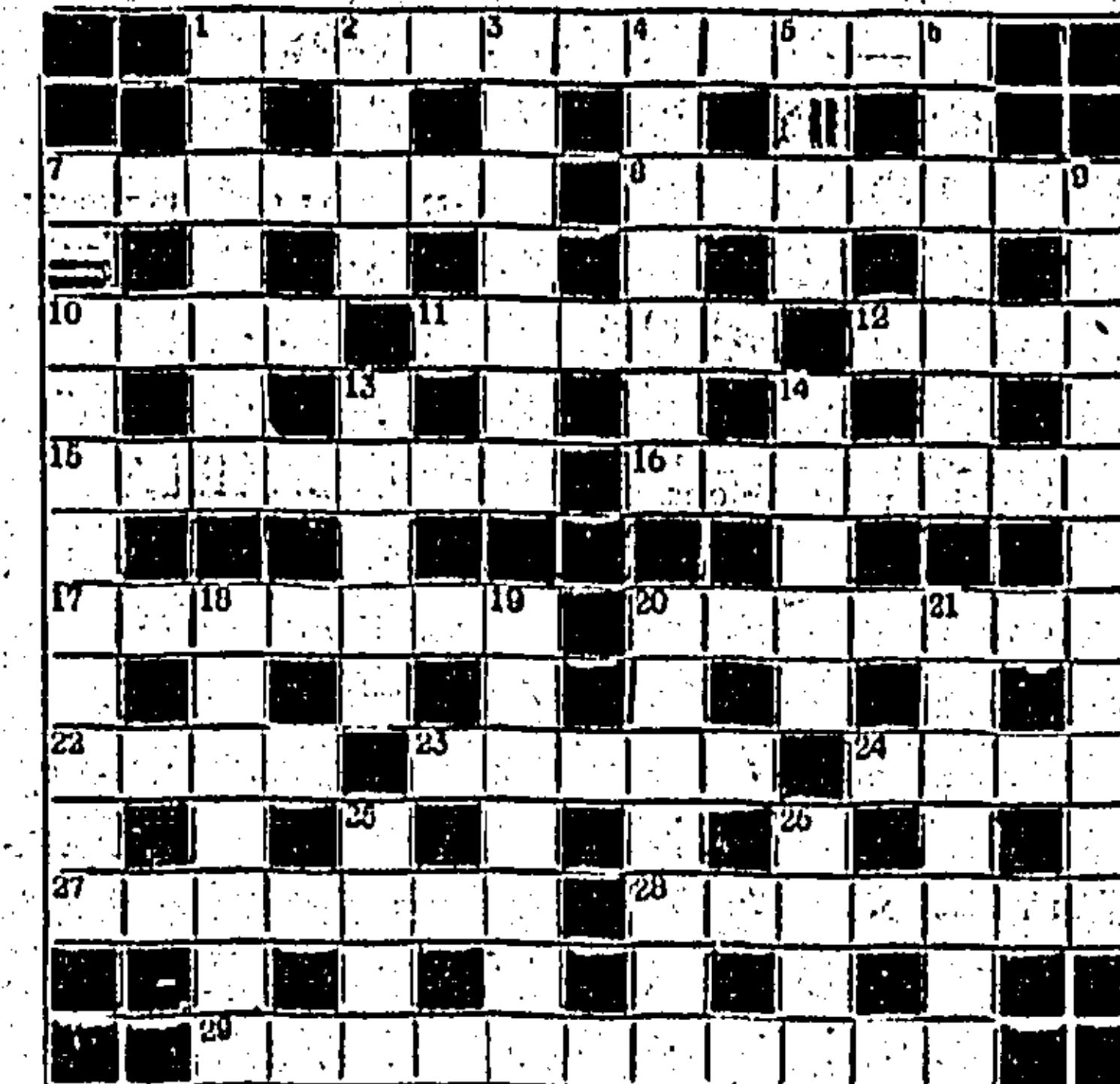
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- 8 You'd naturally expect these sportsmen to take a strong line.
- 10 Issue with one item altered.
- 11 In any thing, might betoken a downpour.
- 12 A famous motto word.
- 15 Its study should help to keep in good condition.
- 16 The name of some larks.
- 17 By which the "Londonderry Air" is often played.
- 20 Ripped? Bither, the high wind no doubt!
- 22 Just one bit of advice to a jumper-maker.
- 23 Croatian town that doesn't seem to carry much weight, in an English rendering.
- 24 South Sea Isles.
- 27 Reduce credit due.
- 28 You should send it in writing: you'll find it wise, in the end.
- 29 For example, lectures on economy in Aberdeen.

**Down**

- 1 Cobbler's job, though it sounds like the doctor's.
- 2 You and I in the feet would spell disaster.
- 3 Genuine in a naive form.
- 4 Bar where you'd expect to find tumblers.
- 5 A marginal word.
- 6 Banks of a stream where it seems one is likely to settle. (Two words.)

- 7 You'll have to try something un-hackneyed or break this to discover Ford's hunger. (Two words.)
- 9 Sure to agree in time.
- 13 One more and it would be doubly.
- 14 To take what isn't his'n.
- 18 To put us to sleep, Hamlet suggests a packing-needle!
- 19 One over the eight well shaken, and one under: result? more intoxicated.
- 20 A vehicle in front helps to hinder.
- 21 Calves, perhaps.
- 25 Fish.
- 26 Often radiates soul with variations.

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PABLITO, a handsome youth, works at the palatial Florida home of millionaire JIM FIELD. When Field's daughter, ESTELLE, arrives Pablito falls in love with her. Pablito knows nothing of his parents, a titled Englishman and a servant girl. He makes his home with MORRIS NOYES, wanted for a murder years ago. Noyes fees when a guest of Field's see him and recognize him. Pablito, dressed as a tower dot, goes to a masquerade at Field's home to see Estelle. There is a tender love scene between them.

The same night Pablito strikes a man he has seen mistreating a child. He thinks the man is dead. BEAU and LOTTIE, two thieves, see this. The next thing Pablito knows he is in a motor boat with these two. Beau has a gun and tells Pablito to head the boat for Cuba.

## CHAPTER XIII

The sea was calm and Field had reason for his pride in the "Silver Dart." Soon Pablito saw what the man and girl beside him could not see—an indent of water, cupped between jagged rocks and leading upward to a deserted stretch of beach. Beyond the yellow sand was a deep green tangle of tropic jungle.

The water was growing shallow and the going was perilous. Pablito knew. Lottie and Beau quarrelled mildly, unaware of the danger. Pablito turned the speed low. Lottie was saying, "What the hell are we going to do with this here Leviathan?"

"Turn it over and hope to God it'll drift to sea," Beau answered. "It's a damn shame," the girl muttered. "It's a swell boat!"

"It wouldn't be so swell to be caught in it," Beau told her.

The boat scraped a rock and poised for a second, fast tilted to one side. Lottie's eyes grew frightened but she made no sound. Beau swore; Pablito turned off the engine, stepped out on the rack, pushed the boat off and leaped back into it. Once more he turned

the power on. They could not go much farther, he knew, but he wanted to be well out of the water in which sharks might be swimming before he began to pilot the crew ashore.

Again the boat struck a rock, this time squarely under the prow and so sharply that it vibrated from the shock. Again Beau swore loudly; again Lottie made no sound but her hands gripped one another until her knuckles were white.

Pablito saw a natural channel ahead as he stepped out this time. If he could make it he could get within 100 feet of shore. Slowly and carefully he nosed the boat through an opening as Beau screeched high and shrill that he couldn't make it. Then Pablito turned off the engine to sit back.

"All change at Manhattan Junction," Lottie said.

"We'll get you to shore and send the boat out," Beau said, eyes on Lottie. Pablito rolled up his flared trousers, sitting them in order to pull them high on his thighs. Then he stepped into the water. "I'll carry you," he said to Lottie. She smiled as she held out her arms and he lifted her over the edge of the boat.

"Oh, baby!" she murmured ecstatically as her arms tightened around his neck. "That there Sir Walter Raleigh musta took lessons from you!"

It was a difficult feat, getting Lottie to land. She was heavy and the way was perilous. The rocks were slippery and the sands, washed by the tide, were shifting and deceiving. The sun beat down fiercely and Beau swore as he followed. Once he fell and once Pablito slipped but he did not fall.

At last he set Lottie down on the beach, wiping his dripping brow with a shirt sleeve.

"Thanks for the buggy ride," he heard and, looking down at her, managed to give her a wan smile.

"I like for cover, kid," Beau ordered. Rather stiffly and after a warm glance at Pablito the girl made her way up the precipitous beach toward the tangle of green.

Again Pablito and Beau waded, pulled by undertow and betrayed by the changing levels of the sea bed. At last they reached the rocking boat and found more difficulties. How to get it into the open was their problem. The wash of the waves threatened to bring it back to cover.

Beau stood averaging which was his way of showing that he was balked. Pablito, eyes on the boat, considered.

"I'll take her out," he said at length, "put on a low power and head her toward Key West. I'll run out enough gasoline so that she'll go only 10 or 15 miles. Then if she washes back it isn't likely it will be to this shore."

"Hell!" said Beau admiringly. "We can string up a signal," Pablito went on, "that will look as if we had been calling for help."

He crawled into the boat as he spoke. Working quickly, he

tied to a small improvised mast his broad scarlet sash.

"How are you going to get back?" Beau asked.

"Swim and wade I guess." "Ain't there sharks around here?"

"I suppose so but what are we going to do about it?" "Say, you got your nerve!"

Pablito turned on a low speed then and nosed the boat through the rocks once more. When he was in the open at least he stepped to exhaust the gasoline and sense his direction. Then he started the craft, stepped quickly to the prow and leaped into the churning water.

When he could think of anything except the struggle with the churning water and rocks he felt Beau's hand.

"All right!" Beau gasped. He had swam out to meet Pablito.

"It's not much farther," he said a moment later. Then Pablito, with a turn, found the uneven sea bed. At last they were wading, driven and pulled and twisted by the water, but making headway.

Lottie, despite Beau's order, stood on the beach waiting for them.

"Honest to Gawd," she said as they joined her, weak and heavy with water. "Honest to Gawd that

got my goat!"

The cover of trees and dense undergrowth protected them. On the beach Pablito saw fat lizards blinking their beady, glittering eyes in the sun and a spider four inches across with red markings.

In the wood Pablito pulled the undergrowth away from a spot that was high and dry and after beating it hard with his water-soaked jacket told Lottie she might sit down.

Beau settled to soliloquize wistfully about his need for cigarettes, food and a shave. The water had pasted his garments to him and Pablito saw that a lumpy bag hung on his chest, fastened with a cord about his neck.

"We can't get going until it's dark," said Beau. No one answered. He stretched out and soon was sound asleep. Lottie edged closer to Pablito. "You're a good sport," she said and her voice was almost soft.

The afternoon wore on and the heat of the sun began to diminish. One of those breezes which, strong or mild, seems to keep the undying foliage of Cuba constantly a-flutter swept into the wood. Lottie, who had slept, stirred, sat up, stretched and rubbed her eyes. Pablito, who

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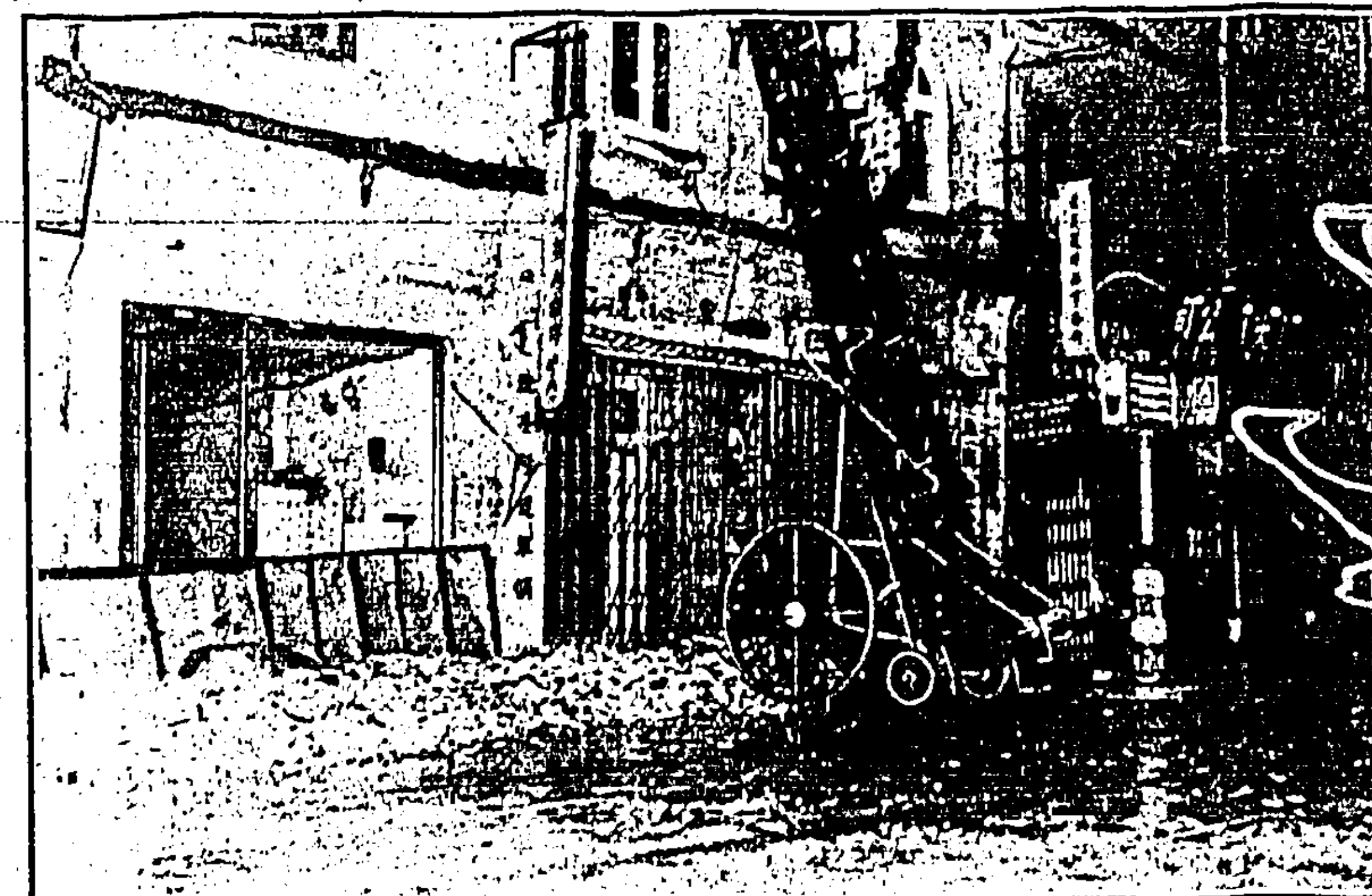
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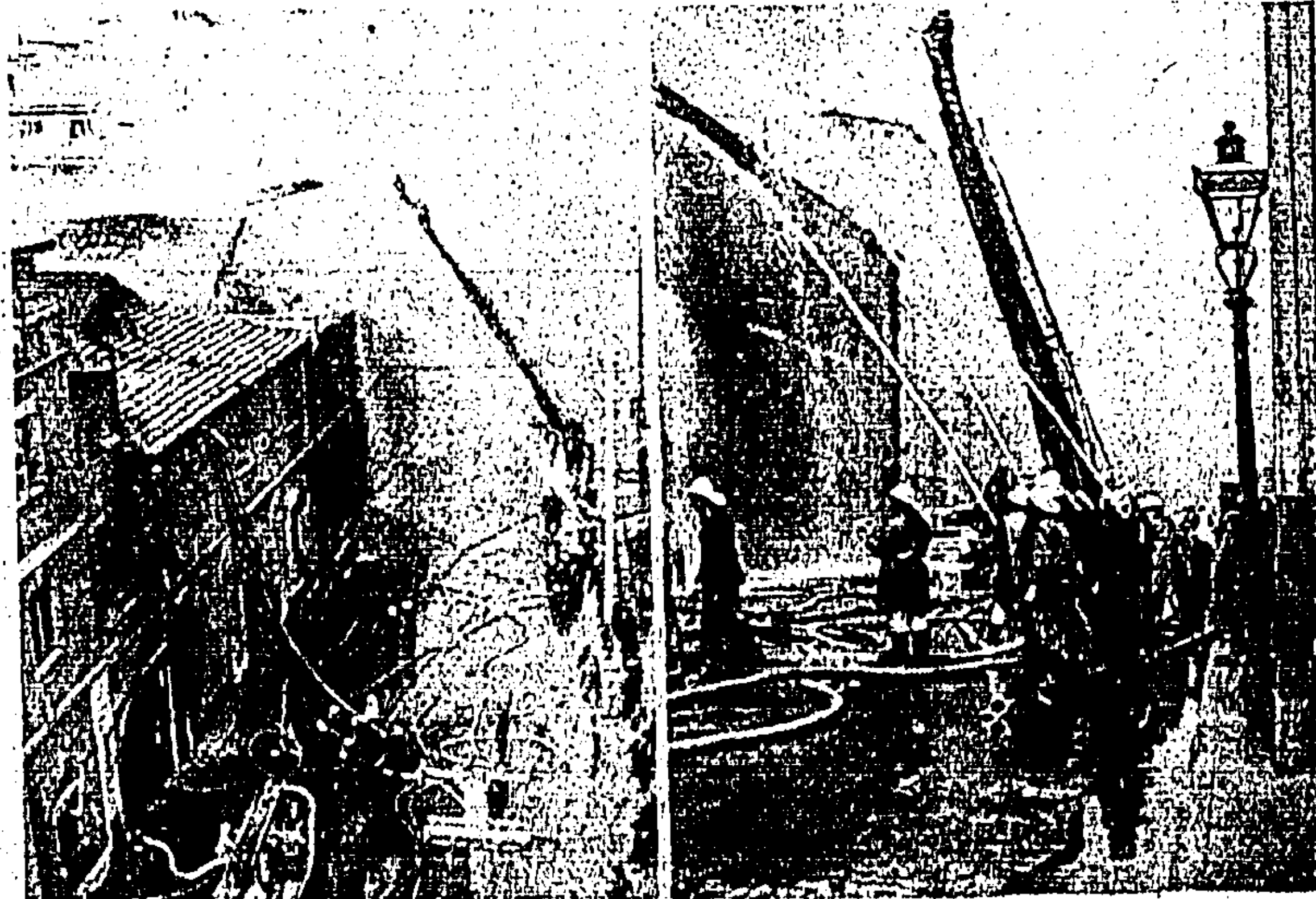
One of the world's leading authorities on sericulture, Dr. Benito Mari, sericulture expert of the League of Nations to China, has left Hongkong for the North. He is going to Nanking.



Photograph taken at the fire which occurred at the Egg Produce Company godowns on Whampoo Road in Shanghai last week.



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T. A. MARTIN,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 4th April, 1934.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday the 6th April, 1934, to Thursday, the 12th April, 1934. Both Days inclusive, during which period No Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

H. DA LUZ,

Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1934.

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Douglas, \$35 1/4 b.  
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Telephones (old), \$23.70 n.  
Telephones (new), \$12.80 n.  
China Buses, Sh. \$13.40 n.  
Singapore Tractions, 5/- n.  
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Malaban Sugars, \$14 1/4 n.  
Cald. Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.  
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Canton Ice, \$2.90 n.  
Cements (old), \$1.90 a.  
Cements (new), \$1.90 a.  
H.K. Ropes, \$6.15 s.

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Dairy Farms, \$27 1/4 n.  
Watsons, \$7 1/4 n.  
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B. Ind. G. & Benda, 84% n.  
H.K. Govt. Loan, 8 3/4% b. prom.  
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.

## CORRESPONDENCE

A.D.C. Appeal

To the Editor,  
Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,—May I through the medium of your columns appeal to the theatre-going public of Hongkong for greater support for the A.D.C. in their forthcoming production of "The First Mrs. Fraser" than was accorded to "Ten Minute Alibi." The A.D.C. can trace its record back to 1870, and with the aid of a series of most able producers and actors can boast that it has scarcely ever disappointed its audiences.

The closing of the Theatre Royal in 1932 made the position of the Club very difficult, but the obstacle was surmounted last season by the hiring of the Star and King's Theatres for "Payment Deferred" and "Nine till Six" respectively. Apart from the question of expense, it was found, however, that neither of these theatres was entirely suitable for an ordinary amateur dramatic production. This season with the building of the new Royal Naval Canteen (now called the China Fleet Club) on the water front opposite Arsenal Street and of the delightful small theatre which is an annex thereto, it seemed that our difficulties were solved when we were able to arrange most favourable terms with the Naval Authorities for the use of that theatre. We then proceeded at once with the staging of "Ten Minute Alibi," a play which took London by storm a year ago and has had a phenomenal run since, and confidently expected bumper houses.

Unfortunately, our confidence was to some extent misplaced. At three out of the five performances the house was barely half full, whereas had we been playing at the Theatre Royal with its much greater capacity I have no doubt that nearly every seat would have been taken.

Hongkong is, of course, an exceedingly conservative place and it is difficult to get the public interested in a new venture which takes them outside their usual ambit, but surely it need only be realised that the China Fleet Club is but 10 minutes by rickshaw from the centre of town, that the small theatre attached is entirely modern and exceedingly comfortable, and that there is ample parking space for cars immediately in front of it and any prejudice against a place of amusement which is just off the beaten track should disappear.

"The First Mrs. Fraser" is a most amusing light comedy by St. John Ervine which was first produced at the Haymarket Theatre in London in 1929 and had a long and successful run. It was written mainly for Mario Tempest who played the title role—one of the best impersonations that she has ever given, while Henry Ainley played the peccant but regretful husband with equal success.

The play should make a special appeal to members of the Scottish community, since the two principal characters both hail from North of Tweed and their

## COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

### LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton	Closing	Range
May	11.05	11.00-11.09
July	12.05	12.11-12.11
October	12.20	12.26-12.27
December	12.30	12.35-12.35
January	12.35	12.42-12.42
March	12.50	12.52-12.52
Spot	12.15	12.20

Chicago Wheat	Closing	Range
May	80 1/4	80 1/4-85 1/4
July	80 1/2	80 1/2-85 1/2
September	80 3/4	80 3/4-85 3/4

Winnipeg Wheat	Closing	Range
May	46.65	46.35-46.40
July	46.65	46.35-46.70
September	47.25	47.10-47.30
December	47.85	47.85-47.85
January	48.05	48.05-48.05
March	48.45	48.45-48.45

Silver	Closing	Range
May	67 1/2	67 1/2-67 1/2
July	68 1/2	68 1/2-68 1/2
October	70 1/2	70 1/2-70 1/2

Total sales for the day:	
1,525,000 ozs.	0,050,000 ozs.
(181 Contracts)	(200 Contracts)

## CANTON NOTES

### POPULAR RESIDENTS LEAVING

Canton, Apr. 3.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Werner left Canton yesterday on Home leave, together with their small son. Mr. Werner has not been Home for eight years. He is the Manager of the Import Department of Messrs. R. Johnson and Co. Mrs. Werner is the daughter of Mrs. Paget, the proprietress of The American Little Shop, Shamshui.

A farewell dinner is being given by the Consular Body of Canton to Dr. and Mrs. Wagner, the German Consul-General and his wife, who are shortly leaving for Japan. Mr. Herbert Phillips, H.B.M. Consul-General, who will now be the Senior Consul in the Port, is presiding at the dinner.—Our Own Correspondent.

Younger son's chief complaint against his English Public School is that it taught him to forget his good Scotch accent. The A.D.C. is not a profit-making concern, but it cannot afford to lose money on its productions of popular plays, and unless more support is forthcoming for its present venture, it may have to consider curtailing, if not suspending, its activities.

"The First Mrs. Fraser" will be played on the 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th April, each night at 9.15 and booking is at Andersons.  
R. E. LINDSELL,  
President, A.D.C.

# POST OFFICE NOTICE

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Salmon and Wuchow	Talking	Wed., Apr. 4, 4 p.m.
Salmon	Kamona	Wed., Apr. 4, 5 p.m.
Parcels for Germany via Hamburg	Grandon	Wed., Apr. 4, 5 p.m.
Manila	Ouderkerk	Wed., Apr. 4, 5 p.m.
Thursday.		
Straits	Van Heutz	Thurs., Apr. 5, 10.30 a.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Brisbane Maru	Thurs., Apr. 5, 10.30 a.m.
Manila	Parcels	Thurs., Apr. 5, Noon
(Due Brisbane, 18th April)	Reg.	Thurs., Apr. 5, 12.45 p.m.
Letters	Letters	Thurs., Apr. 5, 1.30 p.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Dell Maru	Thurs., Apr. 5, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Naldera	Thurs., Apr. 5, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Apr. 5, 4 p.m.
Amoy	Tibadak	Thurs., Apr. 5, 6 p.m.
Friday.		
Sandakan	Mauang	Fri., Apr. 6, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hatching	Fri., Apr. 6, 2 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhot and Halphong	Kingyan	Fri., Apr. 6, Noon
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C.	Emp. of Japan	Fri., Apr. 6, 5 p.m.
C. and Europe via Siberia	Parcels	Fri., Apr. 6, 5 p.m.
Letters	Letters	Fri., Apr. 6, 10 a.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C. 24th April)	Letters	Fri., Apr. 6, 10 a.m.

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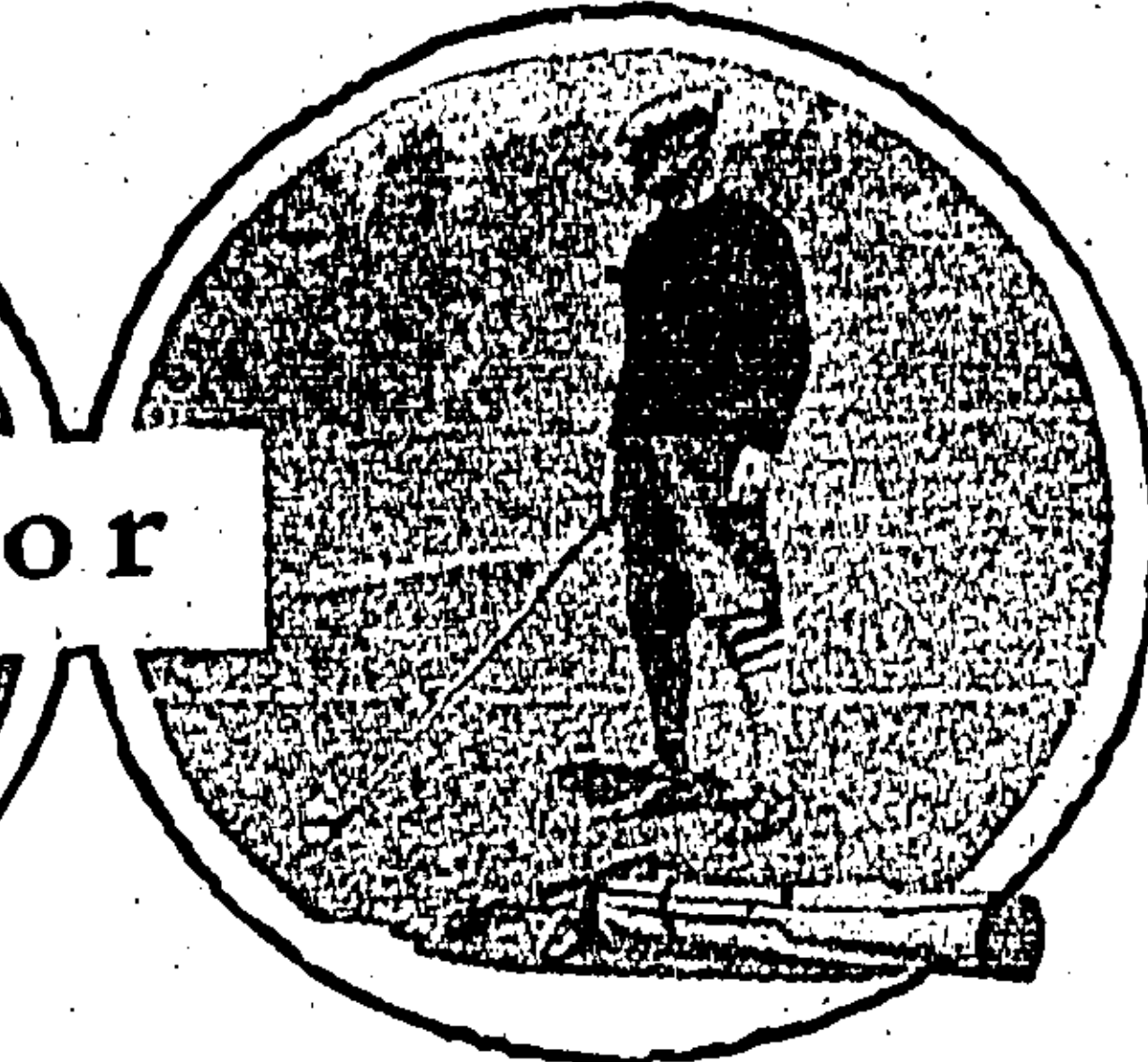
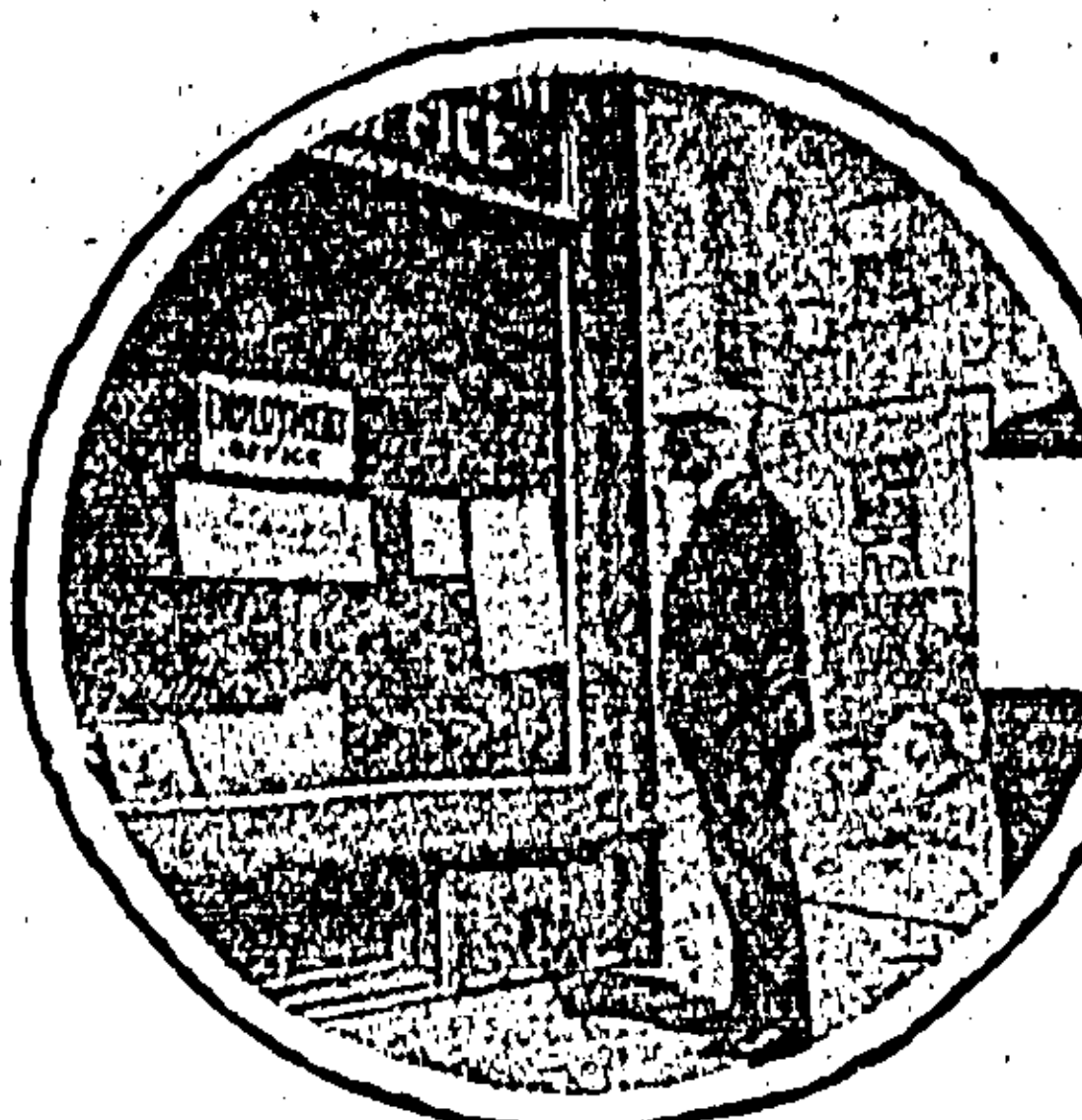
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### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

#### GILT-EDGED ISSUES STRONG

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. Market:—Gilt-edged securities were strong. Otherwise the market ruled widely firm.

Chinese Bonds.	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£100½	£100½
4½% Loan 1903	£ 95	£ 95
5% Loan 1912	£ 74½	£ 74
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 96½	£ 97½
5% Bond 1924-47	£ 87½	£ 87½
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 66	£ 68
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 37-40	£ 38-41
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. (Supt. Loan)	£ 20-20	£ 27-30
5% Shai-Hchow Ningpo Rly.	£ 90½	£ 90½
5% Honan Rly.	£ 31	£ 31½
5% Hukuang Rly.	£ 30	£ 43
5% Lung Tsin U. Rly.	£ 15	£ 16
5% Rly. 1913	£ 15	£ 16

Foreign Bonds and Bankers	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
German 7½% Int. Loan 1924	78½	79
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 80	£ 80½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1912	£ 90½	£ 90½
H.K. & S. Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£139	£138
Chartrd. Bk. £5 sh.	£ 10½	£ 10½

Industrials and Breweries.	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
Associated Elec. Industries	17½	17½
Brit. Amer. Tob. (Bearers)	120½	119½
Chinese Eng. and Mtn. (Bearers)	24½	23½
Tate and Lyle	86½	83½
Courtauld's	53½	53½
Dunlop Rubber	88½	89½
Everready 6½ sh.	52½	52½
General Elec. (England)	40½	42½
Boots	42½	42½
Impl. Chem. Ind.	37½	37½
Impl. Chem. Ind.	9½	9½
Impl. Tobacco	110½	110½
Woolworths	93½	93½

Internat. Nickel	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
no par val	£ 27½	£ 27½
10½ sh.	30½	30½
Turner & Newall	50½	51½
Unilever	24½	24½

Miscellaneous.	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
Anglo-Dutch	19½	19½
Burns Corp. Rs.	14½	13½
Canadian Pacific Rly. 35 sh.	£ 10½	£ 10½
Chartrd. 15½ sh.	22½	22½
Gulf. Katampor	19½	19½
Rubber	12½	12½
Trepca Mines	23½	23½
L. n. g. l. a. g. t. e. Estates	14½	14½
London Tin 10½ sh.	3½	3½
Pekin Synd. 2½ ord. sh.	27½	27½
Rubber Trusts	57½	57½
S'hai Elec. Constr.	39½	40½
Van Ryn Deep	25½	25½
Elec. Musical Industries	48½	48½

Oils.	Mar. 29.	Apr. 3.
Anglo-Persian Oil	91½	91½
Burns Oil	20½	20½
Southern Railway (Deferred)	£ 21½	£ 21½
Royal Dutch 100 sh.	51½	51½
Shell Transp. (Bearers)	30½	30½
Geldenhuys	22½	22½
Crown Mines	124½	124½

#### EXCHANGE RATES

	Mar. 28.	Apr. 3.
Paris	77.19/32	78.13/32
Geneva	15.81	15.89
Berlin	12.87	13.91
Helsingfors	22½	22½
Oulu	10.90	10.90
Athens	635	635
Milan	60.11/32	60.11/32
Buenos Aires	36½	36½
Shanghai	1/4½	1/4½
New York	6.10½	6.17
Amsterdam	7.68½	7.65
Vienna	28	28
Prague	123	124½
Madrid	37.7/16	37.27/32
Bucharest	510	510
Hongkong	1/6	1/6
Brussels	21.90	22.10
Stockholm	10.30	10.30
Copenhagen	22.30½	22.30½
London	109½	110
Bombay	1/6.3/32	1/6.3/32
Rio	4½	4½
Yokohama	1/2.3/16	1/2.5/32
Montevideo	38	37½
Belgrade	23	23
Montreal	5.10½	5.10½
Silver (spot)	19½	20
Silver (forward)	10.5/16	20.1/10
War Loan	104	104½

—British Wireless.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

#### YESTERDAY'S MARKET STEADY

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was steady yesterday. Business done 1,300,000 shares. The *Wall Street Journal* reports:—Stocks were narrowly irregular, dull and uninteresting. Traders continued to hold aloof awaiting Washington developments for a clue as to the future of the market. Copper advanced late in the session due to Chairman Brownell of the American Smelting Co. having predicted higher prices for copper and silver. Further tendency is to anticipate inflationary moves but this is reflected more in Foreign Exchange rather than in Stock prices. Some traders continue to anticipate a rise in the gold price. Curb stocks were irregularly higher. Bonds firmed including U.S. Government issues. The dollar dropped sharply in terms of sterling. Grains eased off. Commodities moved in a narrow range. Trading was light.

Our New York office cables:—Stocks: Responded to bullish statements by business leaders and indications of modification of securities and exchange legislation. Wheat: Further gains in the Northwest are depressing in the market. No change in Southwest. Uncertainty in Washington is a large bearish factor and is checking public interest. Cotton: With generally encouraging business reports the market demand and the outcome of the Bankhead Bill and silver legislation. Better feeling is apparent and the technical position looks favourable to an advance on any constructive developments. Silver: Rumours after the close of the possibility of an advance in the gold price caused sterling to move higher. They were also interpreted by speculators as bullish for silver.

Dow-Jones N.Y. Averages:  
High Low Apr. 2 Mar. 3  
20 Industrials 107.74 107.16 101.95 102.74  
20 Rails 45.33 45.48 45.11 45.68  
20 Utilities 87.78 87.85 87.21 87.99  
40 Bonds 122.56 122.21 122.67 122.81  
11-Commodity Ind. 60.44 61.98 53.31 63.67

The following market closing prices are quoted subject to confirmation as to accuracy in transmission.  
Apr. 2, Apr. 3.  
Adams Express 9½ 9½  
Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Company 22½ 22½  
Allied Chemical and Dye 151½ 151½  
American Can 99½ 100½  
American & Foreign Power 10 10½  
American Metal 24½ 24  
American Smelting and Refining 44½ 45½  
American Tel. and Tel. 119½ 120½  
American Tobacco

"B"	60	60
American Water-works	20½	20½
Anconia Copper	16	16½
Auburn Automobile	53½	54
Atlas Corporation	13½	13½
Baltimore & Ohio	28½	28½
Bothlehem Steel	42½	43
Borden Company	22½	22½
Borg Warner	20	20½
Canadian Pacific Railway	17½	17
Case, J. I.	71½	72½
Chesapeake & Ohio Canal National Bank (bid price)	27½	28½
Chesapeake Corporation	42	42½
Chrysler Corporation	64½	65½
Columbia Gas and Electric	16½	16½
Commonwealth and Southern	2½	2½
Consolidated Gas of New York	37½	37½
Continental Oil	20	20½
Coty Inc.	20	20½
Curtiss Wright Com.	4½	4½
Du Pont de Nemours	88	89
Eastman Kodak	88	89
Electric Bond and Share	16½	17½
Electric Power and Light	7½	7½
Fox Film	15½	15½
General Aviation	6½	Unq.
General Electric	22½	22½
General Foods	33½	34
General Motors	38½	39½
General Railway Signal	41½	41½
Gold Dust	20½	21½
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	35½	36
International Cement	30	29½
International Harvester	41½	41½
International Nickel	28	28½
Int'l. Tel. & Tel.	14½	15½
Johns Manville	56½	56½
Kennecott Copper	19½	19½
Lehman Corporation	72	72½
Liggett and Myers	88½	89½
Loew's Inc.	32½	32½
Lorillard P. (Com.)	17½	17½
Montgomery Ward	31½	32
National City Bank (bid price)	28	28½
National Distillers	28½	29
New York Central	35½	36½
North American Co.	18½	18½
Owens-Illinois Glass	83½	84½
Pacific Gas & Electric	19½	19½
Packard Motors	5½	5½
Pennsylvania Railroad	34½	34½
Pennroad Corporation	3½	3
Phillips Petroleum	15½	15½
Radio Corporation	7½	7½
Reynolds Tobacco	40½	41
Sears Roebuck	48½	48½
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	16½	16½
Southern California Edison	19	19½
Standard Gas and Electric	12½	12½
Standard Oil Co. of		

### OUR HOCKEY VISITORS

(Continued from Page 9.)

(Y.M.C.A.) and A. E. P. Guest (St. Andrew's Club); H. Owen Hughes (Hongkong Hockey Club); J. M. Elliott ("Incognitos"); Avtar Singh (Radio Sports Club); Kalwant Singh (Radio Sports Club) and A. P. Sousa ("Incognitos"). Reserves: A. P. Eca da Silva ("Incognitos"), Blackburn (Police), N. Beltrao ("Incognitos"), and N. A. B. Mackay (St. Andrew's Club).

#### SERVICES TEAM.

The Combined Services team to meet Malaya on Tuesday will be as follows: Pte. Hollingsworth (Army); Lieut. N. W. Molcafe (Army) and Surg.-Lt. Comdr. A. E. Phillips (Navy); Lieut. N. W. B. D. Muspratt (Navy), Dulla Singh (Army), and Lt. Comdr. J. O. H. Hill (Navy); Lt. W. S. Donald (Navy), Lt. E. W. Eaden (Navy), Lt. E. N. V. Carrey (Navy), Lt. C. Garthwaite (Army) and Lal Singh (Army). The visitors will be accommodated at the Kowloon Hotel.

#### TOURNAMENT REPLAY.

The replay for the final of the International Hockey Tournament between England and India has been fixed for Wednesday April 18, on the R. N. O. S. C. ground, King's Park, b.o. at 5 p.m.

#### RETURN OF POPULAR HOCKEY Y.M.C.

Mr. R. A. Bates, Y.M.C.A. hockey secretary, arrived back from leave this morning on the s.s. Nalderna. He was met at the wharf by a number of members of the hockey club headed by a banner bearing the words "Welcome back Robert Bates" and accompanied by a Chinese band.

N.J.	45½	45½
Sterling Products Inc.	54	54½
Studebaker Corporation	7½	7½
Texas Corporation	27	27½
Transamerica	7	7
Union Carbide and Carbon	44	44½
Union Pacific Railway	127½	128
United Aircraft and Transp.	23½	23½
United Corporation	6½	6½
United Gas Improvement	10½	10½
U.S. Rubber	10½	10½
U.S. Steel	52½	52½
Universal Leaf Tobacco	45½	Unq.
Vanadium	20½	27½
Warner Bros. Pictures	7½	7½
Westinghouse E. & M.	38½	39
Woolworth	60	60½

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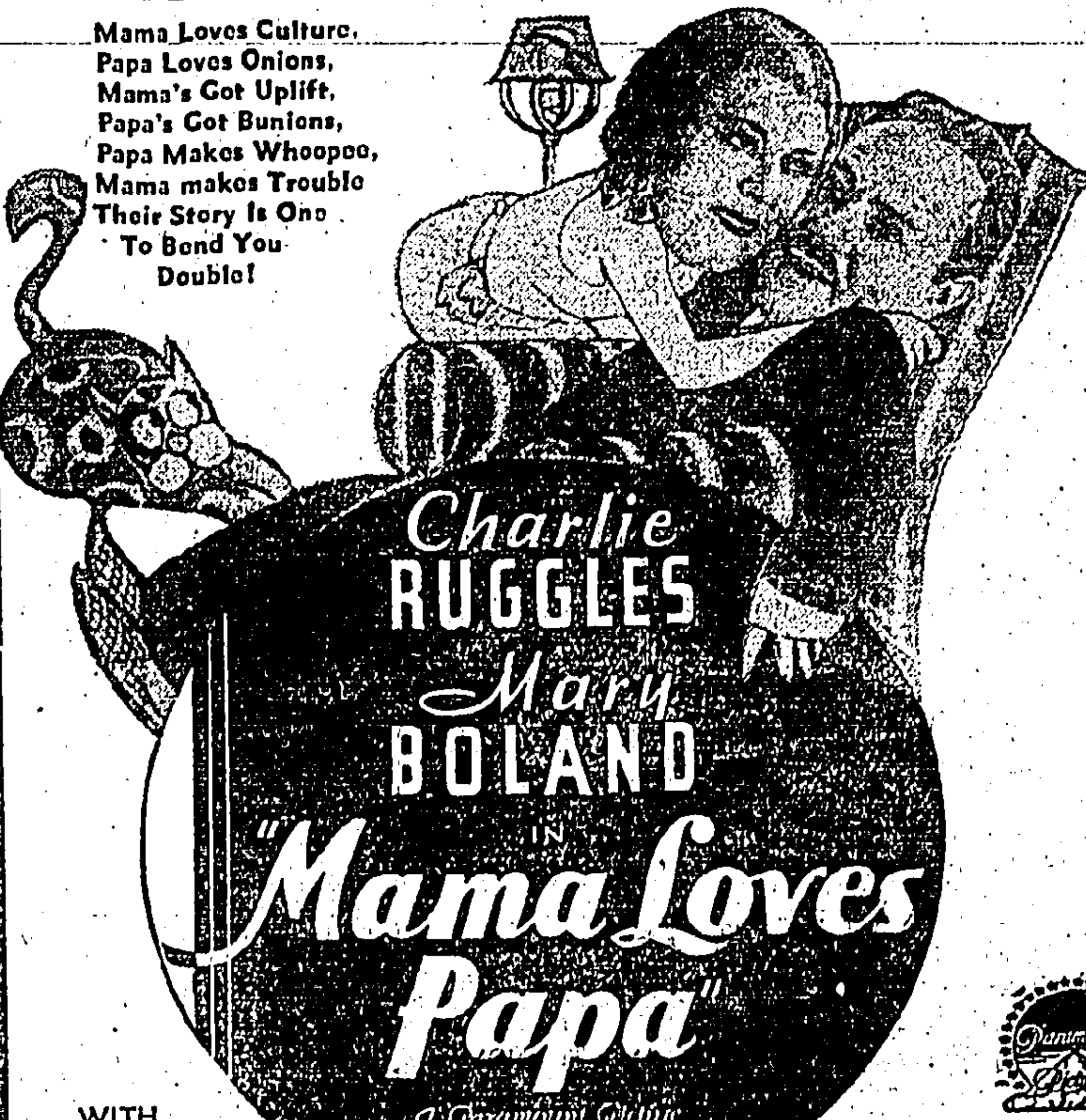
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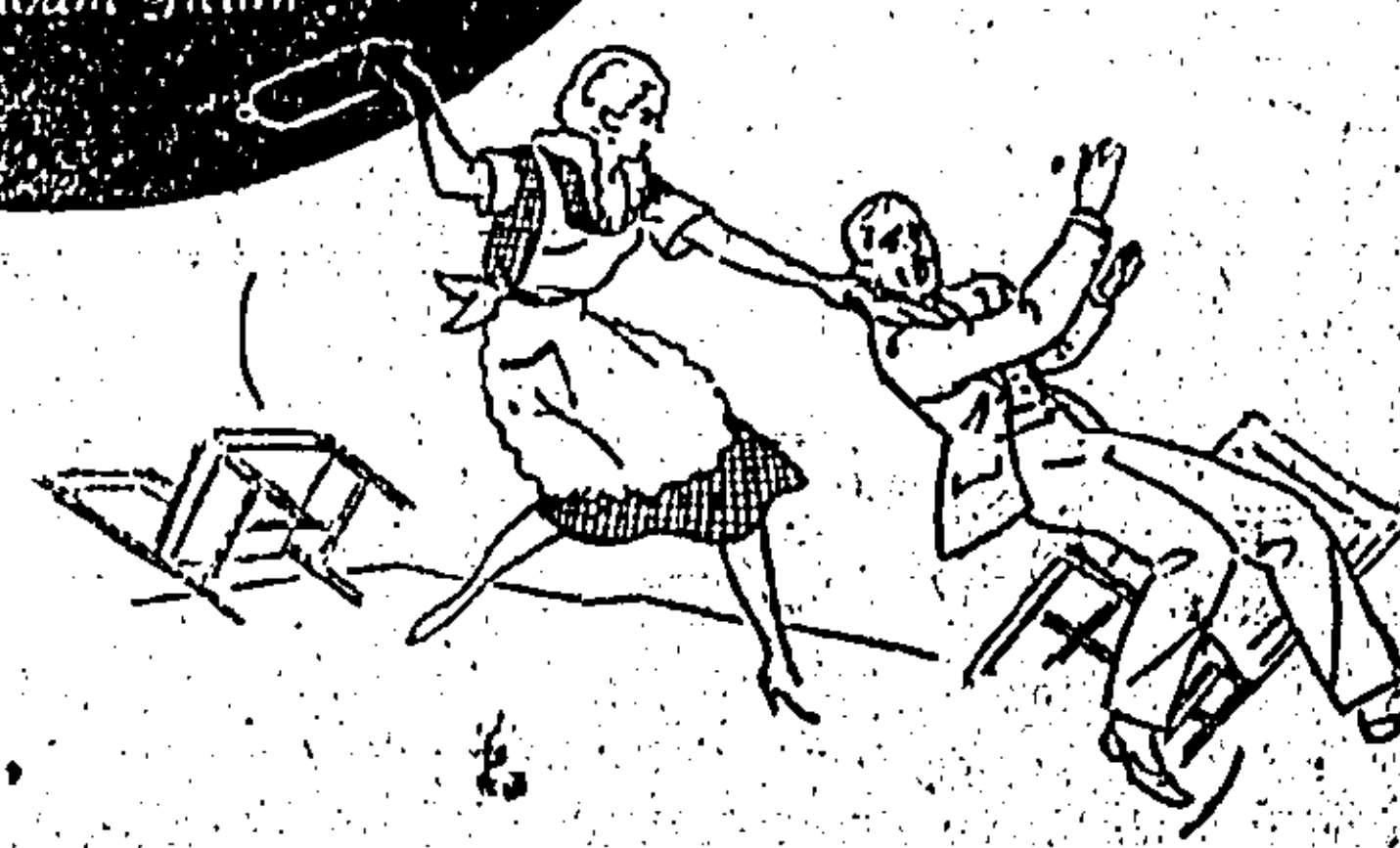
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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1934.

## BRITAIN'S FINANCES

Britain's financial year has ended with the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the happy position of having a substantial surplus. The extent of the surplus is such that it would be possible to restore the Civil Servants' pay cuts, to knock sixpence off the Income Tax, to remove the ten per cent. increase in surtax, and to restore the cuts in unemployment benefit, provided new arrangements are made for redemption of the Unemployment Fund debt. It will thus be seen that the position is remarkably satisfactory; indeed, it is little short of amazing that, in times like the present, there should be the possibility of such widespread relief, in which all sections of the community may share. The cuts in unemployment benefit have naturally aroused considerable resentment amongst the working classes, and they have also come in for criticism not only by opposition M.P.'s, but by Conservative members also. It remains a moot point, however, whether the cuts will be restored. The new Unemployment Insurance Act not only places the system on a self-supporting basis, but provides for surpluses which it is intended to apply, over a period of years, to the extinction of the Fund debt. Obviously, if the benefit cuts are restored, the problem of wiping out the old debt will again have to be faced. The view is held in some quarters, notably amongst the Labourites, that the best method of dealing with the matter would be to add the burden to the National Debt, and thus make possible a resumption of the old rates of benefit. Supporters of this idea contend that the Unemployment Fund debt could, in view of the fact that it was incurred during a period of emergency, be far more appropriately given a place under the National Debt than many items which figure therein. There is something to be said for this viewpoint, especially since the restoration of the cuts under this basis could evidently be made without again jeopardising the solvency of the Fund. The Government will doubtless take all the factors into account and endeavour to distribute the "plums" in such a way as to offset some of the recent criticisms of its general policies. But whatever grounds there may be for such criticisms, there cannot but be general admiration for the magnificent manner in which the Government has handled the nation's finances and produced results which might well be the envy of the whole world.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## PLANNED ECONOMY

Further details of the planned economy scheme outlined by Mr. Child, the American economic peace envoy, will be awaited with considerable interest. The underlying principles appear to meet present world conditions ideally and the proposals should meet with a ready response both inside and outside the British Isles. The world having definitely turned its back on freedom of international trade along the old channels, some practical substitute for the former system is inevitable if the trade revival now being heralded is not to meet with a check after making slight forward progress.

## TRADING UNITS

The scheme evolved is clearly based upon the need for the adjustment of ideas to the cult of economic nationalism. The nations today are operating, for most practical purposes, as trading units, not as collections of individual traders. Government control is being made more effective in every country every day, by means of quotas and like methods. Britain has been for two years integrating her trade policy. In Russia and in less degree in Germany, the government is the sole importer and exporter. In France, M. Doumergue has been hastily armed with the power of tariff adjustment for which President Roosevelt has, so far, been asking Congress in vain. Nevertheless, the United States mentally, if not actually, as yet has changed its tariff policy. Faced with the problem of getting rid of its farm surpluses, it is preparing, by reciprocal agreement, to admit more foreign products into the United States, through carefully controlled channels.

## NEW DEAL

The whole trend of the Child scheme is towards a planned economy for the whole of the trading nations of the world. It fits in with the Rooseveltian international programmes. The New Deal means planned national economy, which must be entirely independent of other national economies or it must be geared to them in definite manner. Complete economic nationalism, even for the supposedly self-sufficient United States, is possible only by a veritable revolution. If imports are stopped, exports too must be stopped. No one now continues to believe that American trade can continue on a one-way passage. And American industry is organised for export even to a greater extent than agriculture. Industrial plants as well as farm lands would have to lie fallow in a regime of self-sufficiency.

## GREAT PROMISE

President Roosevelt, therefore, in sending an economic ambassador to Europe to feel the way, is not really exercising a choice; he is pursuing a path marked out for him by circumstances. The proposals do, nevertheless, offer great promise of a new era of worldwide economic co-operation. It may mean, for a time, that definite limits will be set to the volume of international trade. But it should also be an assurance of better balanced world trading conditions. If it prevents an artificial boom when recovery is well established, it should also prohibit the development of a depression of the disastrous character from which commerce and industry is now slowly emerging.

## RELIEF IN U.S.

The new U.S. relief plan which is to follow the Civil Works Administration is something more than just another plan to meet an emergency. The C.W.A. was put into operation to supply relief where it was desperately needed. In a measure it met this need; but more important, it taught the Administration those lessons which could only be learned through experience. The new plan recently outlined by President Roosevelt shows that those lessons have been learned, and that present and future plans are being built on the foundation of experience.

## INTELLIGENT GRASP

It not only shows an intelligent grasp of the present situation, but also explains the C.W.A. and, therefore, should be free of some of the evils that attached themselves to the original measure. The strongest point in the new relief plan is that, while much money is involved, there is not to be the same outpouring of direct aid. It approaches the more complicated and important aspects of helping distressed wage earners to plant themselves firmly and permanently in a stable society. The encouraging aspect of the whole movement is in its orderly and courageous approach to the fundamental problem of wasted labour and faulty distribution.

THE ART OF  
MAKING FRIENDS

By GILBERT FRANKAU

IN the days of my ebullient youth I there hung over my city desk a small picture of a cowboy, issuing from his lonely shack on the mountainside and carrying in his either hand a gun. Across this picture was printed, "Live each day so that you can look every man straight in the eye."

The expression, "superiority complex" had not then been invented. But my youth had it badly. And although Time has reduced the cranial swelling, I still prefer it to the inferiority complex so prevalent to-day.

Youth, whether male or female, should be a little swollen headed; should be convinced of its own prowess. The "toady" is a lonesome animal in all places, but especially at school.

School over, men are judged, or at least they should be judged, by their capabilities for doing a job—not by their aptitude for currying favour.

Nevertheless—and although there is much truth in the poet's exhortation that every herring should hang by its own head—no man, however great his capabilities, can succeed by work alone. There are no lonely shacks in our modern existence. Even the artist has to live with, by, and through a multitude of his fellows.

You can be the most brilliant doctor who ever walked a hospital. But without a good "bedside manner" you will never reach Harley-street. And if you don't happen to possess that bedside manner by nature you must cultivate it by art.

The same rule applies in every profession and in every business—using that word business in its widest sense. You can call it the rule of hypocrisy, if you like. Personally, I prefer to call it the rule of tact.

One can, of course, overdo tact. There are times when it becomes positively nauseating. Observe, for instance, the young foreign diplomat effusively kissing the hand of some particularly abhorrent female to whom he has only just been presented. Or the man who calls you, "Smith, old boy," after five minutes' acquaintance.

And yet don't you, in your heart of hearts, prefer the boisterous chap who drops the "Mister" from your surname to the fellow who drops your proffered fingers as though they were pieces of cold fish? Of course you do. And why not?

We are gregarious animals. Even before we learned to kiss, we used to rub noses and to recognise the tattoo-marks of our own tribe. This persists—even in an age which suffers a little from inverted snobbery. The cheapest of all modern laughs is the laughs at the "old school colours." Sneer at the tribal tattoo-marks as much as you like. But can you play, can you even work, all by yourself?

From personal experience I have found that you can't. You can't even "be yourself" (youth's most fervent wish) and be happy. Happiness itself entails some sacrifice of the individuality. Imagine a society in which every man who woke with a furred tongue gave vent to unbridled self-expression,

and every wife told every husband exactly what she was thinking about him at every hour of the day and night.

It may be a little hypocritical to conceal one's immediate feelings. But can one rely upon one's immediate feelings? How many men and women have you started by hating and ended by appreciating? Dislike itself is often a prelude to love.

There are men and women whom everybody likes. There are men and women who like everybody. But these "Kims," these little friends of all the world, are rare. Most of us have to study how to become "good mixers." And that this study is detrimental to the character I refuse to admit.

The average human being, especially the average British human being, is far more sensitive than his or her face betrays. It may be great fun—nobody has enjoyed it more than I—to ruffle other people's sensitivities. But how we hate it when the process is reversed.

A man is not necessarily a hypocrite because he respects some scruple, some inhibition, some idiosyncrasy of mine. Why, then, should I consider myself the hypocrite for not telling him: "Your politics are those of a lunatic. Your wife dresses like a charwoman. And why on earth don't you consult a dentist about your teeth?"

Such tact is not hypocrisy. A sane respect for other people's opinions, manners, or habits, is not hypocrisy. Even to go out of your way to make a good impression is not hypocrisy. Social amenities are preserved by social discipline. It is better to be a "good chap," even if you have to make yourself into a "golden calf," than to worship the golden calf. Self-expression.

Self-expression, cultivated overmuch, soon degenerates into mere selfishness. Tact, at its best, is unselfishness.

At twenty-five I still imagined myself going through life with a gun in each hand. At thirty-five I put one gun back in its holster. Latterly, I have learned to sheath the other as well.

Nobody has ever enjoyed "shooting up the town" as much as I have. Even Whistler never extracted more satisfaction from the "gentle art of making enemies." But that satisfaction, I have found, does not last.

It is difficult enough to be a good lover. But to be a good hater is almost impossible for anyone with a little common sense and a little sense of humour.

Making enemies, I have found, is a sport that falls. As one gets older, one gets a little shaken in the belief that the other fellow is always wrong.

But the making of friends, even if only of superficial friends, is an enduring pastime. And the more one practises it, the easier it becomes. Social discipline, like military discipline, soon develops into second nature. Practise it, and you will find that smiles, like (Continued on Next Column.)

## The Very Idea!

TOOTHsome  
RAMBLINGS

By "George"

THE tension was terrific. —we couldn't stand it.

We sat down. It got terrific and more —eventually we lay down.

.....That hateful voice—"Steady, please. Just one more moment." And then five minutes later—"Just one more moment, please."

"Oooouch!"

"Steady please, just one more moment. There!"

The dentist stood back beaming with professional pride. He held in his bloody paw the crimson tusk that had once embellished our jaws.

From our position under the desk where the fierce struggle for supremacy had taken place we gazed up at him.

The tooth had been hollow but we gazed none the less hollowly, for the lack of this tried and trusty friend was but another reminder that our years were beginning to number.

The particular molar whose parting had been such a wrench to us had lived for nigh on 30 years in the rear attic under the roof.

However, the best of teeth must depart and others, false though they be, must take their place. It was one less tooth to clean anyway, we reflected.

They say that every baby costs a mother's tooth but they don't say what else it costs.

The advantage of a good display of ivory in to-day's keen face-dressing competition may also explain the lack of babies among our wives. (Here the "our" is used editorially.)

Perhaps the adage of "every baby costs a mother's tooth" is the foundation of that old wisecrack "the woman always pays."

"If the mother loses the tooth the father gets the ache when it comes to footing the bill, and when she's run through her own teeth there's still more expense for hubby."

The wedding ring is a vicious circle at this rate, with daddy running round and round but never getting nowhere. Anyway he was legally engaged for the job and employment of any kind is something to be thankful for in these days.

Of course it's not every woman gets a bargain in the matrimonial line herself—and then it's a case of "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

He says "Aye" in response to her eye, and while she drops an occasional tooth per baby, he wears his out biting his tongue.

Marriage seems to be a constant wear, wear, wear, except when it's being tear, tear, and tear. A little "ware" would save a lot of tear.

The only thing you save after marriage is a picture of the time you could have spent.

Now, instead of spending the time you could have saved, you are doing time.

Marriage is very much like a business except that its productions are its liabilities and its assets are kept in the dark.

You start off with capital prospects from a sleeping partner but she depreciates so much annually that you often have to write her off altogether or call in your reserves.

Marriage, like business, is one of the things that drive a man to voluntary liquidation in which state he is too often prone to float a loan (a)ne, and depress further his sinking fund.

Carried forward from day to day, he fails to achieve a balance and develops a leaning to other figures. The exchange is not favourable to stabilisation and with the sleeping partner insisting on her pound of flesh and failing to subscribe her share, the only resource left for the other partner is to file his petition.

His creditors remain while his credit goes and when matrimony has been swallowed up in alimony he can wind up his affairs.

salutes, are inevitably returned.

The stern, strong, silent man is an admirable figure in fiction. But even in fiction he only succeeds when the final chapter administers its rearward shock to his self-esteem.

Tact, even if only a cultivated tact, is an almost certain cure for too much self-esteem. Cultivate it. "Good chaps," unlike poets, are made as well as born.

Meanwhile, however, deem him or her lucky for whom one man and one woman truly weep when they pass on.



"Let's finish up these caramels so we can concentrate on the show."



## LIVERPOOL SPOILS

## TWO POINTS AT HUDDERSFIELD

## HOME SOCCER

London, Apr. 3.  
Fresh keenness has been lent to the championship and relegation struggles as the result of today's games in the First Division of the Football League.

Huddersfield furnished the chief sensation—being guilty of another such lapse as caused their elimination from the Cup by Northampton. Lowly-placed Liverpool defeated them at Huddersfield by two clear goals.

Birmingham, also struggling against relegation, handsomely defeated Sheffield Wednesday and the chief anxieties at the foot of the table have been handed on to Newcastle United.

In the Second Division, Bradford, who during the first half of the season were nearer the bottom than the top, definitely entered into the promotion race by a smashing win against Burnley.

## FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	3	Wednesday	0
Huddersfield	0	Liverpool	2
Leicester	1	Wolves	1

## League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.
Arsenal	36	21	8	7	63
Huddersfield	36	19	10	7	58
Tottenham	36	19	7	12	47
Derby	37	16	10	11	43
Sunderland	37	14	11	12	39
Blackburn	37	16	7	16	42
Wednesday	37	15	8	14	51
Manchester C.	36	14	10	12	52
Everton	36	12	13	11	55
Stoke	37	14	9	14	53
West Brom.	37	14	8	15	57
Leeds	36	12	11	13	42
Portsmouth	36	12	11	13	42
Leicester	36	12	11	13	42
Wolves	37	12	11	14	58
Middlesbrough	37	12	11	14	58
Aston Villa	36	13	12	12	53
Liverpool	36	12	13	12	53
Newcastle	36	12	13	12	53
Birmingham	36	11	14	13	46
Chelsea	36	11	7	18	55
Sheffield U.	37	11	6	20	54

## SECOND DIVISION.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.
Grimsby	37	24	5	8	89
Preston N.E.	37	19	6	12	69
Bolton	37	19	6	12	71
Brentford	37	18	7	12	66
Bradford	37	17	6	14	63
Port Vale	37	17	6	14	63
Bradford C.	37	16	4	16	69
West Ham	37	16	10	12	70
Blackpool	37	14	11	12	56
Burnley	37	16	6	15	69
Plymouth	37	13	12	12	51
Hull	37	14	9	14	59
Olham	37	14	8	15	61
Bury	37	14	8	15	61
Fulham	37	14	7	16	43
Southampton	36	13	15	8	45
Notts County	36	11	16	9	53
North Forest	37	12	9	17	63
Swanssea	37	12	3	22	53
Manchester U.	37	12	3	22	53
Millwall	36	8	11	17	34
Lincoln	37	8	7	22	34

## THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.
Norwich	37	23	9	5	82
Queen's P.R.	36	21	6	9	60
Coventry	37	18	11	8	64
Reading	37	17	11	9	71
Luton	37	17	10	10	67
Bristol R.	37	16	11	10	67
Charlton	37	16	10	12	63
Exeter	37	15	10	12	63
Swindon	36	15	10	11	63
Clapton O.	37	15	14	8	68
Crystal Pal.	36	14	9	13	68
Brighton	36	11	12	13	53
Northampton	37	12	9	16	60
Southend	36	10	12	14	62
Watford	37	13	6	18	62
Aldershot	36	10	11	15	42
Newport	37	6	17	14	42
Bristol C.	36	9	11	16	49
Torquay	36	11	6	19	43
Gillingham	36	9	9	18	43
Bournemouth	36	9	7	20	56
Cardiff	36	8	6	22	48

## "BACK TO OLD CHINA" MOVEMENT

## Sulphuric Acid Attacks at Hangchow

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4.  
The so-called "anti-modern" organisations, which made their first appearance at Peking and have employed sulphuric acid to discourage the wearing of European-style or other styles of clothes made of foreign material, have spread their activities to Hangchow and other cities.

This is an offshoot of the "Buy Home Products" campaign recently commenced in North China. According to a Hangchow report, pedestrians wearing foreign clothes, have been conspicuously absent since the appearance of the fanatics dropping acid on them from verandas or from behind.



Janet Gaynor and Lionel Barrymore are co-starred in "Carolina", the brilliant Fox production which starts a run at the King's Theatre during next week-end.

## STATE AID FOR SUGAR INDUSTRY

## COMMITTEE SET UP IN ENGLAND

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, April 4.  
The Government announces the appointment of a Committee to inquire into the condition of the sugar industry in the United Kingdom, including home-grown beet sugar and imported sugar.

The well-known King's Counsel, Mr. Wilfrid Greene, will be chairman of the Committee.

Its task, in particular, will be to make recommendations in regard to the application of State aid in the event of re-organisation.

Reuter's Special Service.

## YUNNAN-BURMA CLASH REPORT

## DENIAL BY BRITISH CONSULATE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4.  
A spokesman of the British Consulate General told Chinese pressmen today that the report of a clash between the British troops and natives of Pongshu, on the Yunnan-Burma border, was untrue, as no British troops were stationed there.

## DANCE BAN

## SHANGHAI ORDER

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 4.  
The Municipality of Greater Shanghai has issued an order prohibiting "fancy" dancing.

Dancing has long been prohibited in Peking by a similar order issued by the Peking Municipality.

## JAPANESE PLANES SIGHTED

## TWO FLY OVER NORTH CHINA

Peking, April 4.  
It is officially reported that two Japanese planes were sighted flying over the Feng District, some distance to the north of Tientsin, three or four times on Monday.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"IT IS CYNICISM AND FEAR THAT FREEZE LIFE; IT IS FAITH THAT THAW'S IT OUT, RELEASES IT, SETS IT FREE."—Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

W. Funnell, of 77 Hennessy Road, third floor, was this morning fined \$10 by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy, for having a wireless receiving set without a licence.

Leung Hing, 76, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Magistracy this morning on charges of selling cigarettes without a licence at Jubilee Street and giving a bribe of one dollar to an Indian police constable. "I gave the dollar so as to get pardon from him," said the defendant. A fine of \$10 or seven days' imprisonment was imposed.

## ARMY OFFICER MARRIED

## PRETTY WEDDING YESTERDAY

St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday, when Miss Valerie Konigsberg, of Shanghai, was married to Lieut. P. R. M. Wisden of the 2nd Battalion, East Lancashire Regiment.

The bride, who was charmingly attired in white with a long trail, was given away by Mr. G. H. Potts, and had Mrs. Darbinston as her bridesmaid.

Lt. M. Manlove of the East Lancashire Regiment, was the best man. The Rev. Father Carroll officiated.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel, at which many guests including Col. Marsh, the Commanding Officer of the East Lancashire Regiment, and brother officers of the bride-groom were present.

## GLOUCESTER PILE UP 47 POINTS

## Yesterday's Rugger at Home

London, April 3.  
Gloucester ran wild against Bradford in a Rugby Union match at Gloucester today, scoring forty-seven points. The results of today's games follow:

Bath	8	Headingley	0
Bristol	6	St. Bart's H.	5
Newport	6	Barbarians	11
Cardiff	12	Coventry	9
Gloucester	47	Bradford	3
Pontypool	16	London Welsh	6

## IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION

## ATTRACTIVE LONDON DISPLAY

London, Apr. 3.  
The Ideal Home Exhibition, which has become an increasingly popular annual event at Olympia, London, was opened today.

The latest developments in housing, decorating, furnishing and gardening make a most interesting and attractive display, and one feature of great prominence this year is a lower made of non-corrosive Sheffield steel material, for which innumerable uses are found and which promises to effect a revolution in certain departments of steel manufacture.

A case of rabies was reported from the New Territory last week.

During the five days ending April 2, five cases of small-pox (one imported), three cases of diphtheria, seven cases of meningitis and one case each of typhoid and puerperal fever were reported to the local health authorities.

The return of notifiable diseases for last week shows that there were 14 cases of cerebro-spinal fever (five deaths); 11 new cases of small-pox; with 16 deaths from the disease; six cases of diphtheria (one death); three of typhoid fever; and 51 deaths of tuberculosis.

Li Choi, banished last June for ten years, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning for disobeying his deportation order. Defendant stated he was passing through on his way to Samoi to worship ancestral tombs during the coming Ching Ming Festival.

## RIDING SCHOOL DISPUTE

## MAFOOS CLAIM FOR WAGES

## STORY OF BOYCOTT THREATS

Threats of boycotting and killing were alleged by Col. D. G. Kosokis, of the Hongkong Riding School, to have been made by his No. 1 Mafoos when, before Mr. R. E. Lindsell, Palsna Judge, at the Supreme Court this morning, six mafoos and a Chinese female assistant claimed wages from him amounting to about \$200.

Mr. Horace Lo represented the plaintiffs and said the case arose soon after the Riding School run by the late owner, Capt. Rajdestvin, had gone into bankruptcy. The firm of Messrs. Lo & Lo were acting for the employees during the bankruptcy proceedings. On January 31, defendant went to the Riding School to take over the business and he interviewed the No. 1 mafoos and others, enquired about their wages and work, and asked them to carry on. Two days later he dismissed them, offering them two days' pay which they refused. They were now suing for a month's wages each.

Defendant said his defence was that the plaintiffs were not engaged by him.

## MAFOOS' STORY.

The No. 1 mafoos gave evidence that on January 31 he was asked to continue working for defendant and went with his employers to fetch time. On February 2, defendant supervised the work of the stables. He asked the mafoos to build him a match and when they protested that this was not their work, he sacked them in a body. They refused to accept two days' pay or to leave under those conditions and were taken to the Kowloon Police Station. Later they began proceedings.

Cross-examined, witness admitted that the plaintiffs were clansmen of his, but denied that he had demanded under the threat that his clansmen would kill him (witness) if it was not paid. He also denied saying he would boycott defendant and that he would not be able to get any mafoos as they were well organised in Hongkong and Canton. He agreed that he was now working for Capt. Rajdestvin.

The hearing was adjourned.

## AUSTRALIAN SCIENTIST VISITOR

## Cousin of Sir Henry Pollock

An interesting visitor to the Colony is Mr. Ernest F. Pollock, F.R.G.S., J.P., of Strathfield, Sydney, New South Wales, who is a passenger by the Nellore for Japan and China, accompanied by Mrs. Pollock.

Mr. Pollock, who is a Councillor and late Honorary Secretary of the Royal Zoological Society of New South Wales and a corresponding member of the Royal Australasian Ornithologists' Union, has been keenly interested in the biology of the Great Barrier Reef, off the Queensland Coast, and has led several expeditions of scientists and others to that area during the past ten years.

Mr. Pollock hopes to ascend the Yangtze River as far as Chung King during his present visit. He will return to Australia by a different route in order to investigate the big game fishing possibilities of the Banda and Celebes Seas.

He is arranging the itinerary of a lengthy yachting cruise for Mr. Zane Grey, the well-known novelist and deep sea fisherman, which will probably start in the Indian Ocean towards the end of this year.

Efforts will be made to capture the giant snailfish which inhabit those waters, and which have been recorded up to a weight of two tons. Afterwards the north coast of Australia, the Great Barrier Reef, Papuan and New Guinea waters, and many of the South Sea Islands are to be visited. The cruise will be made on Mr. Zane Grey's twin-screwed motor yacht, the Fisherman II, and will last fifteen months.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Pollock is a cousin of Sir Henry Pollock of Hongkong.

## FANLING GOLF

## TIE IN EASTER BOGEY POOL

In connection with the Easter Meeting at Fanling, the Bogeys (Par) Pool on the old course resulted in P. H. Scoones (6) and Lieut. Derek Wyburd (18) both finishing one up. There were 92 entries.

In the Medal Round on the old course, there were 16 entries, but no cards were returned. The remaining three competitions were cancelled, owing to insufficient entries.

## RADIO BROADCAST

## TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

## RELAY OF HONGKONG HOTEL DANCE ORCHESTRA

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 365 metres.  
8.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
8.00-6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.  
7.30-10.30 p.m. European Programme.  
7.30-9.30 p.m. Recorded Music.  
7.30-8.00 p.m. Musical Comedy Selections.  
Bow Bells—Selection (Sullivan)  
New Mayfair Orchestra.  
Follow a Star—Vocal Gems (Ellis)  
Light Opera Company.  
Charlotte's Manoeuvre—Selection  
New Mayfair Orchestra.  
The Student Prince—Vocal Gems (S. Romberg)  
Light Opera Company.  
8.00 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.  
8.03-8.25 p.m. Band Music.  
Softly Awaken My Heart ("Samson & Dollah") (Saint-Saens)  
War March of the Priests (Mendelssohn)  
The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards.  
Songs of Wales  
Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.  
Rienzi—Overture (Wagner)  
Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.  
8.25-8.32 p.m.  
Pavetta No. 2, in C Minor, (Bach) for Pianoforte played by Harold Samuel.  
8.42-9.30 p.m. A Concert.  
Overture—In Spring (Goldmark)  
Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra.  
Violin Solo—Dance of the Marionette (Winteritz)  
Fritz Kreisler.  
Song—Love Thine (Grieg, words, Laubach)  
Eva Turner, (Soprano)  
Pianoforte Solo—Pierrette (Chaminade)  
Una Bourne.  
Song—Meadowland (J. V. Rowe)  
Dermot-Macmurrough  
Richard Crooks, (Tenor)  
Octet—Narcissus (Nevin)  
J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.  
Orchestral—Gypsy Moon (Borcanoff)  
Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.  
Octet—Valse Bluette (Brieg)  
J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.  
Song—Too Late to-morrow (Langenberg)  
Richard Crooks (Tenor).  
Pianoforte Solo—Dance Creole (Chaminade)  
Una Bourne.  
Song—Homing (Salmen & Del Riego)  
Eva Turner, (Soprano).  
Violin Solo—Polichele Serenade (Kreisler)  
Fritz Kreisler.  
Orchestral—Bird Songs at Eventide (Eric Coates)  
Albert Sandler & his Orchestra.  
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10.30 p.m. Rugby Midday Press News.  
10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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# CUP FINAL REHEARSAL BEING STAGED THIS WEEK

## FOOTBALL CHATTER BY "PILGRIM"

"PRICES offered on the English Cup before racing began at Cheltenham on March 8 were:

9-4..... Aston Villa  
5-2..... Manchester City  
3-1..... Portsmouth  
4-1..... Leicester City

A bet of £200 to £30 was laid against Portsmouth and then 3-1 against was offered.

WHAT price to-day I wonder?

CHELSEA, now lying third from the bottom have done a good week-end's work. They are a point ahead of Sheffield United and have a better goal average than Birmingham.

THE worst is over but they will have to fight hard to maintain the advantage.

CHESTERFIELD, with 26 wins to their credit allowed they had reserves of strength which Stockport could not produce.

THE Stockport challenge has now been replaced by Barnsley.

NEWPORT and Southport hold this season's record of draws so far, totalling 17 each.

QUEEN o'South and Bradford have only drawn twice and Blackburn, Reading, Barnsley, Stockport, and Rangers still have unbeaten home records.

SOUTHAMPTON and Swansea, are the only clubs which have yet to win away from home.

MANCHESTER United, who are making a brave effort to avert disaster, have tried McMillan at right-half.

C. B. Fry, the old England football and cricket international at 62 years of age watched his first football match for many seasons at Highbury last month.

HIS comments on the game were remarkably entertaining, especially his comparisons of the old and present generations.

AS Fry is a definite link between the past and present, he can justly claim authoritative views.

FIRST and foremost, the pace of the game impressed him tremendously. He said that play had speeded up at least 20 per cent., an estimation that is not at all exaggerated.

ANOTHER point which struck him forcibly was the directness of the methods. There were few of those aimless dribbles or short, needless passes as beloved by the professors and amateurs of old.

IN Fry's own words the payers were always on the move towards the opponents' goal. They did not make three or four passes when one was sufficient.

IN fact, Fry so admired the present team-work and tactics that he expressed the opinion that only one of the old-time teams held a chance of beating either Arsenal or the Villa.

WITH their all-attacking style, short ground passes which made rapid progress, the Corinthians, according to Fry, would have highly tested either team.

## England XI's Continental Tour In May

At a meeting of the International Selection Committee in London yesterday it was decided to play a match against Hungary at Budapest and against Czechoslovakia at Prague in May, upon dates to be named.

The Committee considered correspondence which had passed with the Italian F.A. and the secretary was instructed to write to the Italian Association that there had evidently been a misunderstanding that the proposed return match should be played in England in 1934. No member of the committee at Rome had authority to commit the F.A. to the playing of a match. As to the proposed match in England next December, the matter will be considered by the Committee later in the year.

## PORTSMOUTH TO VISIT MANCHESTER CITY

### HUDDERSFIELD FACED WITH A VITAL PROPOSITION

#### ARSENAL'S OPPORTUNITY TO LEAP AHEAD OF COMPETITORS

(By "The Pilgrim")

A rehearsal of the F.A. Cup final will be seen at the Maine Road ground on Saturday when Portsmouth and Manchester City come into conflict.

I do not suppose for one moment that it will be a full dress rehearsal however, though there is a rule against a side deliberately playing its weakest team!

It will be an opportunity for some of the players to try themselves out but the big guns will be fairly subdued. Portsmouth's fruitless week-end will probably be continued.

Another match of even more interest is that at the Highbury ground where Arsenal meet their closest rivals for the League championship.

It could almost be said that this is Huddersfield's last hope to make a fight for the coveted honour as, if they lose, they will be four points behind with no games in hand.

Spurs received a setback at the hands of Stoke who seem to have filled the role of giant-killers this season, and the White Hart Lane club would appear to be due for another defeat at the Baseball ground. The Rams are an exasperating club to support but they seem to be the bogey team of the Londoners.

### THE "BOOBY" TEAM

Lincoln are fairly sure of being the booby team of the Second Division but it is only their sheer inability to collect points either at home or away that has saved Manchester United from being bottom. The United have given a scarcely better exhibition and though Millwall have only an equal number of points, they have at least had their moments of good form.

As I anticipated a week ago, Chesterfield showed better staying power than their rivals from Stockport and they have again placed a fair margin of safety behind them.

Barnsley are making a late spurt which has brought them to second place and they have a sporting chance of going higher if they can stand the cracking pace set by the Salter Lane eleven.

Chesterfield were relegated at the end of last season but they are going all-out to regain their lost status.

Rochdale are in a position similar to Lincoln but it is a tussle between Rotherham and Mansfield as to who will accompany them on the relegation route. Crewe and Chester are hovering on the outskirts too, but I think they will avoid the danger.

A batch of home wins is indicated at Scotland where the strength of the First Division are playing at home.

St. Mirren with Cup Final fears to harass them, will probably drop Cowdenbeath a couple of points but the latter with only 13 to their credit will not benefit materially.

#### FIVE MINUTES FOOTBALL:

## Why Inside Forward Play Is Poor.

(By "Saracen")

Originality and the surprise which follows it is the salt of football. Unfortunately all the team talks and preparations for a match which now generally take place tend to depreciate its value inasmuch as clubs to-day set their highest store on combined effort.

I do not suggest that there is no longer room for individual effort, but members of a side have a part definitely allotted to them and above everything else they must carry it out.

This is especially notable in the case of inside forwards. It is true that for as long as I can remember they have had to work in defence. But they have now to do very much more to assist the wing halves behind them owing to the changes which have come about since the alteration of the off-side law and to a large extent they are semi-halfbacks.

In these circumstances their opportunities to win personal fame have been greatly reduced and I think this is the explanation of the marked dearth of what according to the old standard are regarded as first class inside forwards.

It is players in these positions that the clubs are diligently searching for to-day. The international selectors declare that they cannot make the England team tip top because inside for-

wards of the necessary class are not available. But when clubs obtain players who might be successful they do not allow them to develop in the old way. As I have said they have to spend half their time working in defence instead of scheming to score goals and it is not surprising that they fail to acquire the constructive arts which used to give football a special spectacular charm.

The modern inside forward does not wish to play in this style. I have heard players plead for a greater license to exercise their initiative. They want to go up and keep in touch with the ball. They are, however, the victims of a system and they are sacrificed to the stern needs of their side.

In the circumstances it is scarcely surprising that they know little of the arts of finesse and deception and that they proceed on the stereotyped lines as laid down by modern conditions. But how mistaken this is one realises from the fact that if another Alex James were to appear he would be hailed a genius and a hero.



THE FLYING HUNT.—Graphic picture taken during the football match between Tottenham and Portsmouth at White Hart Lane, showing Hunt, the Spurs centre-forward leaping for the ball.

## TO BEAT THE BOOK

(By "Robin")

HOME:— Blackburn  
Middlesbrough  
West Brom. A.  
Doncaster  
Halifax  
Stockport  
Clapton Orient  
Norwich  
Swindon  
Torquay  
Luton  
Wednesday

AWAY:— Grimsby  
Coventry  
Preston

DRAW:— Everton  
Newcastle  
Port Vale

## OUR FORECAST

### OF LEADING HOMESIDE PROGRAMMES

(By "The Pilgrim")

#### ENGLISH LEAGUE.

##### FIRST DIVISION.

ARSENAL (2) v Huddersfield (2)  
Birmingham (3) v Chelsea (3)  
BLACKBURN (1) v Sheffield U. (2)  
DERBY (1) v Spurs (1)  
Everton (1) v Stoke (1)  
Leeds (1) v Leicester (1)  
MANCHESTER C. (3) v Portsmouth (1)  
MIDDLESBROUGH (2) v Wolves (1)  
NEWCASTLE (3) v Villa (1)  
WEDNESDAY (3) v Sunderland (1)  
WEST B. (2) v Liverpool (1)

##### SECOND DIVISION.

BLACKBURN (1) v Plymouth (1)  
BRADFORD C. (1) v Manchester U. (2)  
BURY (0) v BRADFORD (0)  
FULHAM (0) v Notts F. (1)  
Hull (1) v Grimsby (1)  
Luton (2) v PRESTON (1)  
Millwall (6) v OLDHAM (1)  
Notts C. (1) v BRENTFORD (1)  
PORT V. (1) v Bolton (3)  
SOUTHAMPTON (4) v West Ham (3)  
SWANSEA (2) v Burnley (0)

##### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

ALDRSHT (2) v Gillingham (0)  
BRIGHTON (2) v Exeter (1)  
Bristol C. (1) v Charlton (1)  
CLAPTON (1) v B'nth (1)  
Luton (1) v Palace (1)  
NORTHAMPTON (1) v Rist. R. (1)  
Newport (3) v READING (3)  
Q. Park (3) v Coventry (3)  
SWINDON (6) v Cardiff (2)  
TORQUAY (8) v Southampton (1)

##### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

BARROW (2) v Tranmere (0)  
CARLISLE (0) v BARNLEY (1)  
CHELSEA (1) v Wrexham (0)  
CREWE (2) v Rochdale (0)  
DONCASTER (1) v Hartlepool (0)  
N. BRIGHAM (2) v B'nth (1)  
Rotherham (3) v Darlington (1)  
STOCKPORT (2) v Mansfield (0)  
WALSLEY (2) v Kidderminster (0)  
YORK (0) v Accrington (0)

##### SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

##### FIRST DIVISION.

AIRDRIE (0) v Celtic (3)  
AYR (1) v Hibernians (1)  
CLYDE (1) v Falkirk (1)  
COWDENBATH (1) v St. Mirren (1)  
HIBERNIANS (1) v Rangers (1)  
MOTHERWELL (0) v Lanark (1)  
PARTICK (4) v Dundee (0)  
Q. S. (1) v Hamilton (1)  
RANGERS (3) v Aberdeen (1)  
S. J'STNE (5) v Queen's (2)

## FIGURES WHICH SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

### A USEFUL LEAGUE TABLE RECORDS GUIDE

The following tabulated league table records of all the clubs in the English League and the first division of the Scottish League show their home and away performances up to and including yesterday's matches.

#### ENGLISH LEAGUE.

##### FIRST DIVISION.

	Total				Home				Away				F. A.	Pts.
	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.
Arsenal	36	21	8	7	13	4	2	6	8	4	4	5	63	40
Huddersfield	36	19	10	7	13	3	2	6	7	7	5	7	76	60
Tottenham	36	19	7	12	12	3	4	7	4	4	8	6	67	46
Derby County	37	16	10	11	10	7	2	6	3	9	9	6	63	43
Sunderland	37	14	11	12	12	5	1	2	6	11	7	5	76	60
Blackburn	38	16	7	15	14	5	0	2	2	2	15	64	72	
Wednesday	37	15	8	14	8	4	6	7	4	5	8	64	64	
Manchester City	36	14	10	12	11	4	3	3	6	9	9	52	61	
Everton	36	12	13	11	9	4	5	3	9	6	5	55	52	
Stoke	37	14	9	14	10	5	4	4	4	10	6	60	50	
West Brom	37	14	8	15	10	3	5	4	5	10	7	67	63	
Leeds	36	14	7	15	11	4	3	3	3	12	61	63		
Portsmouth	36	12	11	13	8	5	5	4	6	8	8	42	49	
Leicester	35	12	11	12	8	6	4	4	6	8	8	61		
Wolves	37	12	11	14	11	4	4	1	7	10	6	67		
Middlesbrough	37	14	6	17	11	2	5	3	4	12	60			
Aston Villa	36	13	7	16	9	3	6	4	4	10	68			
Newcastle	38	9	13	16	5	10	4	4	3	12	60			
Liverpool	38	12	9	17	9	6	4	3	3	13	70			
Chelsea	36	11	7	18	10	2	6	1	5	12	55			
Birmingham	37	10	11	16	6	6	5	4	5	11	43			
Sheffield U.	37	11	6	20	10	5	4	1	1	16	54			

##### SECOND DIVISION.

		Total				Home				Away				Goals		
		P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Grimsby	.....	37	24	6	8	13	3	3	3	11	2	6	5	59	52	53
Preston	.....	37	19	6	12	14	3	2	7	6	3	10	6	66	49	44
Bolton	.....	37	19	6	12	12	2	4	7	7	7	7	7	71	53	44
Brentford	.....	37	18	7	12	13	2	4	7	5	5	8	8	74	56	43
Bradford	.....	36	20	2	14	14	2	3	3	6	0	11	7	76	61	42
Bradford City	.....	37	18	4	15	13	2	3	3	5	2	12	6	66	60	40
West Ham	.....	37	15	10	12	12	3	3	3	3	7	8	7	70	62	40
Port Vale	.....	37	17	6	14	12	3	3	4	5	3	11	5	53	51	40
Blackpool	.....	37	14	11	12	10	6	2	2	4	5	10	6	56	51	39
Plymouth	.....	37	13	12	12	11	7	2	2	2	5	10	6	63	63	38
Burnley	.....	37	16	6	15	13	2	4	3	3	4	11	5	66	62	38
Hull City	.....	37	13	12	12	11	4	3	3	2	8	9	5	51	55	38
Oldham	.....	37	14	9	14	10	5	4	4	4	4	10	6	59	57	37
Bury	.....	37	14	8	15	11	3	4	3	3	5	11	6	61	68	36
Fulham	.....	37	14	7	16	12	3	3	3	2	4	13	4	43	57	35
Southampton	.....	36	13	8	15	13	2	3	3	0	6	12	4	45	46	34
Notts County	.....	36	11	10	15	8	6	3	3	3	4	12	5	50	56	32
Notts Forest	.....	37	11	9	17	10	4	5	1	1	5	12	6	63	63	31
Swansea	.....	37	8	13	16	8	8	2	0	0	5	14	4	45	56	29
Millwall	.....	36	8	11	17	5	8	4	4	3	3	13	3	34	69	27
Manchester Utd.	.....	37	12	3	22	8	2	9	4	4	1	13	3	53	83	27
Lincoln	.....	37	8	7	22	7	6	6	1	1	1	16	3	38	64	23

##### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

		Total			Home			Away			Goals		Pts
		P.	W.	D. L.	P.	W.	D. L.	P.	W.	D. L.	F.	A.	
934	Norwich	37	23	9 5	14	3 1	9 6	4 2	60	42	46	55	
934	Queen's Park	36	21	6 9	16	2 1	5 4	2 8	60	42	48	46	
938	Coventry	37	18	11 8	14	3 2	4 8	6 6	84	49	47	46	
944	Reading	36	17	11 8	15	3 0	2 8	8 8	71	44	45	46	
944	Luton	37	17	9 11	11	3 4	6 6	7 7	71	47	43	46	
5,711	Bristol R.	36	10	10 11	11	4 3	5 6	7 7	67	43	42	46	
	Charlton	36	17	7 11	11	4 2	6 3	9 9	69	47	41	46	
	Exeter	37	15	10 12	12	4 3	3 6	9 9	63	50	40	46	
atches	Swindon	36	15	10 11	11	5 2	4 5	9 9	63	55	40	46	
here	Clapton O.	37	15	8 14	13	3 2	2 5	12 6	58	60	38	46	
the	Crystal Pal.	36	14	9 13	9	6 3	5 3	10 6	60	59	37	46	
two	Brighton	36	11	12 13	9	7 2	2 5	1 1	60	63	36	46	
own	Southend	37	12	9 16	9	5 5	3 4	11 5	60	61	35	46	
0,000	Watford	37	13	6 18	11	3 5	2 3	13 5	62	55	32	46	
	Northampton	36	10	12 14	8	6 4	2 6	10 10	62	70	32	46	
	Aldershot	36	10	11 15	7	6 5	3 5	10 10	44	62	31	46	
	Barnet	35	9	11 15	6	8 4	3 3	11 9	49	68	29	46	
to 7	Newport	37	6	17 14	4	9 6	2 8	8 8	42	61	31	46	
round	Torquay	36	11	6 19	8	4 6	3 2	13 3	43	81	30	46	
really	Gillingham	36	9	9 18	7	6 5	2 3	13 3	64	85	29	46	
have	Bournemouth	36	9	7 20	7	5 6	2 3	14 3	66	86	28	46	
owed.	Cardiff	36	8	6 22	6	4 8	2 2	14 3	49	86	27	46	







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## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Of the three types of love—friendship, the love of a woman for a man and the love of a man for a woman—the predominating influence in a woman's life. In "Gallant Lady," the new 20th Century film opening to-day at the Alhambra Theatre, Kowloon, Ann Harding, who plays the star role, is faced with the necessity of making a decision as to which of the three shall rule her life. The triangle almost becomes a quadrangle when a romantic Italian nobleman makes desperate love to her in an old garden in the moonlight, and she practically rudely interrupts with its recollections of more mundane things, and a chance meeting with the child whom she has counted out of her life brings back the sweet hopes of earlier years. The excellent supporting cast with which Joseph M. Schenck and Darryl F. Zanuck have surrounded Miss Harding bears out their oft-repeated policy of selecting the finest players available for each and every role. Featured roles in this United Artist release are capably handled by Olive Brook, Otto Kruger, and Tullio Carminelli. Jack Beecher, well-known Broadway favourite, makes her screen debut in this picture and the child role is played by Dickie Moore, under the direction of Gregory La Cava.

"Mama Loves Papa," first co-starring picture for the ideally-named pair of comedians, Mary Boland and Charlie Ruggles, will open on Thursday at the King's Theatre. Miss Boland and Ruggles were starred together after the Paramount studio, which had featured them in three previous pictures "The Night of June 13th," "Evening for Sale," and "If I Had a Million" found that audiences wanted more of the combination. The demand registered at theatres everywhere was so hearty, in fact, that "Mama Loves Papa" was written especially to suit their respective talents. Norman MacLeod, who won fame as director of the Four Marx Brothers directed "Mama Loves Papa."

"Eskimo" The grandeur of the earth's white mantle of snow at the North Pole is shown in vistas that will stir film audiences in "Eskimo," great epic of the Arctic filmed by Col. W. S. Van Dyke for the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios. The picture is now showing at the Queen's Theatre. Thousands of miles of ice and snow provide a background for the greatest record of a native people ever in film. Gasps come thick and fast for the audience as they thrill to panoramas that defy description. One scene shows the "Midnight Sun" streaking a track across the ice for fully two hundred miles with the figure of a native in the foreground. Swarmed to the sky are other scenes showing millions of tons of ice shifting and rearing in the Spring "crack up" and endangering the lives of Eskimo hunters and fishermen. Capt. Peter Freuchen's thrilling story of life and love among the natives, in this northernmost picture, is a film which has been faithfully and beautifully recorded. Great spectacles in the picture include the caribou chase in which more than 4,000 of the horned beasts go on the rampage; walrus hunts in which native boats are overturned and men injured in attempts to escape knife-sharp tusks; natives hunting whales in small boats; blizzards and icy hurricanes at temperatures that defied human life; polar bear-hunts and native spear-fishing.

"Hips, Hips, Hooryay" A gay and hilariously insane saga of two super-stupid heroes who let the world laugh with, for, and at them while they peddle flavoured lipsticks, participate in a cross-country automobile race, make love to beautiful girls and wise-crack gaily, in "Hips, Hips, Hooryay," RKO-Radio Pictures' musical extravaganza starring Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey, with Ruth Etting, Dorothy Lee and Thelma Todd featured, showing to-day at the King's Theatre. "Hips, Hips, Hooryay" combines laughter, music and gorgeous girls in its tonalities. It features an aggregation of beautiful blondes, brunettes and redheads selected for their beauty of face and figure which are shown in the spectacularly glittering dance sequences. With Ruth Etting, the girls also participate in vocalizing the current popular melodies. "Keep Romance Alive," "Keep on Doin' What You're Doin'" and "Tired of It All" Harry Ruby and Bert Kalmar composed the music for "Hips, Hips, Hooryay" and collaborated with Edward Kaufman on the scenario. Mark Sandberg directed, and Dave Gould staged the dances. "Sons of the Desert" They could dish it out and they have to take it! Paraphrasing the slang

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## THE ROMANTIC RUNAWAY

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had kept watch, smiled at her. "What's next?" she asked after a yawn which blurred her words. "Quien sabe?" Pablo answered. Beau opened his eyes. "You ich forstahy Spanish?" he asked. Pablo nodded.

"You're going to be useful to us," Beau announced, "and I'll see that you don't forget it or that we saved your life, old-timer!" At dusk Pablo scouted about with Beau while Lottie waited. They found a hard-beaten road not far away and beyond Pablo saw a Hibiscus hedge, its huge scarlet flowers like a mass of sporadic flames. Back of this was a clump of poinsettia, fully six feet tall, its blossoms a glowing crimson. There were cultivated banana trees too and Pablo knew they must be nearing someone's country estate.

Then down the road a creeping blotch appeared and as it grew larger Pablo saw it was an ox cart drawn by two sleek animals with rings in their noses. A two-wheeled, creaking, screeching ox cart. He and Beau stepped to the side of the road and dropped there behind a tall growth that afforded protection. As he hid Pablo thought of the taobon, Cuba's deadly little six-inch, dust-coloured snake which can burrow straight downward in the hardest earth almost in a second.

The cart drew near. It was filled with girls dressed in tissue super costumes, their paper skirts flaring, paper bodices cut low and caps that seemed like lightly hovering butterflies on their pretty heads. The man who drove the slowly plodding beasts was grinning pleasantly. He was dressed as a clown. The girls' chatter was high, shrill and happy.

When the screech of the cart wheels was dimmed Beau crept from his hiding place and Pablo followed.

"What the hell was that?" Beau asked. "It's the carnival," Pablo told him. "I'd forgotten but to-morrow must be one of the Sundays in Lent when everyone masquerades."

"Come on then!" Beau sang out loudly, his tone filled with relief. "That means we're safe!"

(To be Continued.)

expression given wide currency recently, this summarizes the story of "Sons of the Desert," the Laurel and Hardy feature-length comedy coming on Friday to the Queen's Theatre. As demonstrated by the two boys, the "dishing out" practice consists of deceiving their wives, who in turn are responsible for the ardent members of the "Sons of the Desert" lodge "taking it." In order to attend a convention of their organization, Stan and Ollie are forced to resort to subterfuge. Skillfully, they devise a plot and with equal deftness win their wives' belief in their canny plans. All goes well until their deception is discovered, and then the fun begins!

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## UNSTAMPED RENT RECEIPTS

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FINED

The Sincere Company were named as defendants in six summonses which came before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning accusing them of failing to stamp certain rent receipts.

The summonses were dated June 4, 1933; July 2, 1933; September 19, 1933; October 6, 1933; December 7, 1933; and January 3, 1934. An official of the Company said it was the fault of the shroffs, who were sent out with rent receipt forms together with stamps.

It was stated that the offences were brought to the notice of the Treasury by the people who actually paid the money to the Company's shroffs.

In imposing a fine of \$10 on each summons, his Worship told the Company's representative: "I think you will have to issue very stringent instructions to all your shroffs in future."

## MARYSE HILTZ OFF AGAIN

LEAVES SHANGHAI FOR NANKING

Shanghai, April 4. Mlle. Maryse Hiltz took off on a flight to Nanking this morning after a week of sight-seeing in Shanghai.

The aviatrix announced that she proposes to attempt a direct flight to Canton from Nanking.—*Reuter.*

The P. and O. liner Ranchi, from Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m. on Friday.

## LONDON FUNDING OPERATION

BIG LOAN ISSUE PROSPECTUS

MORE SAVINGS IN INTEREST

London, Apr. 3. A large Government funding operation is announced to-night. It takes the form of a three per cent. funding loan, 1939/1969, an issue of £150,000,000.

On April 15th the Government is under contract to repay £105,000,000 of four per cent. Treasury bonds, and the present time is regarded as suitable for issuing the new loan.

To-morrow morning there will be published, in consequence, the prospectus of the new three per cent. funding loan, consisting of an issue of £150,000,000 with a life of from twenty-five to thirty-five years. The price of issue is 98 per cent. and the straight yield of interest is 3.1/3 per cent. The list of applications will be opened on Thursday April 5th and will be closed on or before the following day.

### SINKING FUND FEATURE

An interesting feature of the prospectus is the provision for a Sinking Fund. Each half year, the Government has undertaken to set aside a sum equal to two per cent. of the nominal amount of the loan originally created. Out of this, there will be paid interest on the loan for the half year, and the balance will form a Sinking Fund to be used for purchasing loan for cancellation of it stands at or below par.

If it stands above par, the Sinking Fund money will either be

## PREPARATION OF OPIUM

SIX MONTHS' GAOL SENTENCE

Remarking that he had no doubt that defendant was preparing opium, Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, convicted Chan Lin-tai, unemployed, on a charge of having prepared opium at No. 60A Main Street, 1st. floor, Shaokwan, and sentenced him to six months' hard labour. Defendant was discharged on two other charges of possession of 1 1/2 taels of prepared opium and five taels of raw opium.

His wife, Cheung Ah-chuen, who admitted all the charges, was fined a total of \$370, or three months' imprisonment.

Mr. Hamilton, convicting first defendant, remarked that he was trying to shelter behind his wife. He accepted the evidence of the police that accused was preparing opium.

used in the same way or otherwise invested.

Any addition of the loan not previously redeemed will be repaid at par in 1969, but the Government reserve the right to redeem the loan in whole or part at any time after 1959.

### DIG SAVING.

Insofar as the proceeds of the new loan are used for repaying the four per cent. bonds, the present operation will result in a saving of interest to the Treasury at a rate of just under £1,000,000 per annum.

An additional £45,000,000, as between £105,000,000 and £150,000,000, of the new issue, will be available for any purpose of floating debt or of reducing Treasury bills.—*British Wireless.*

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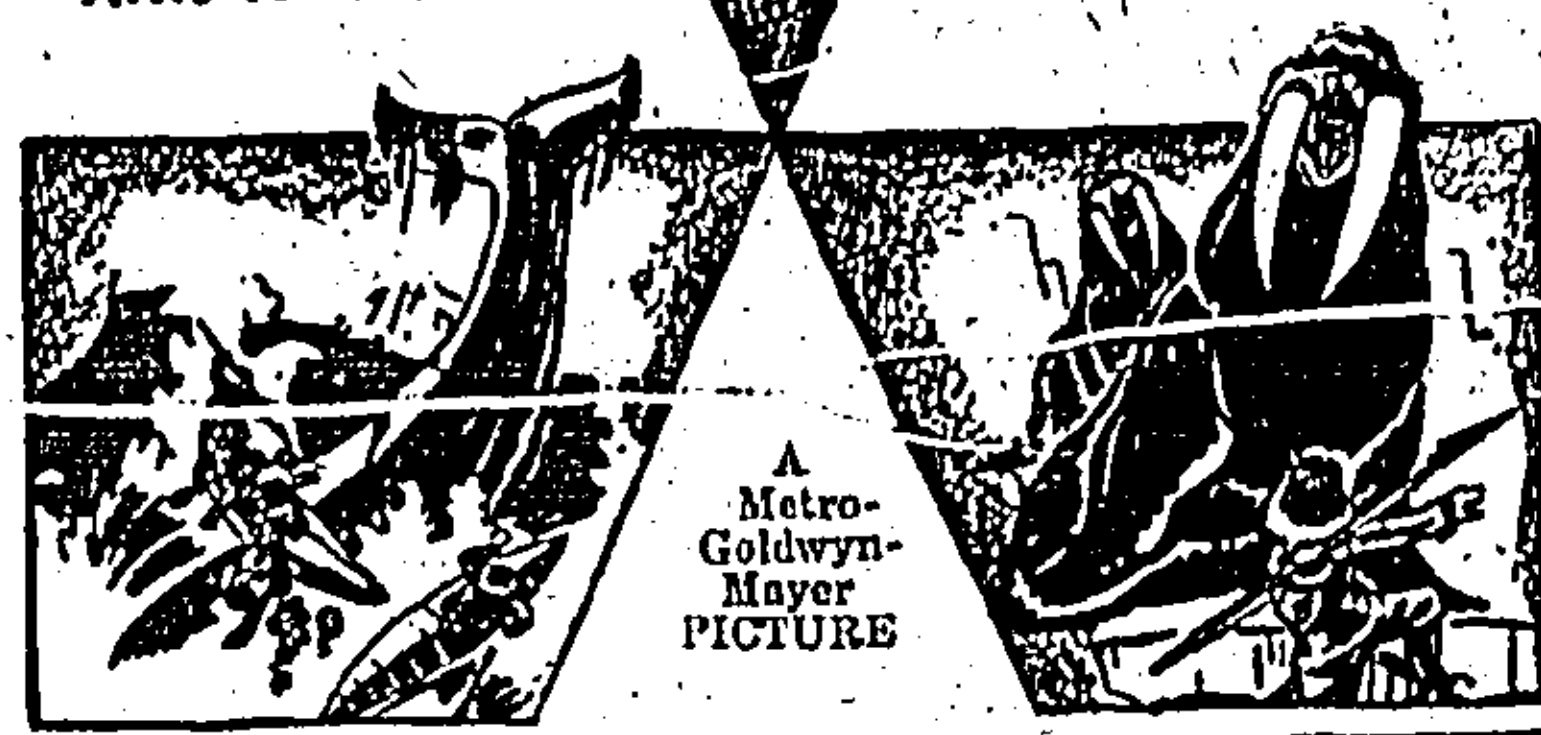
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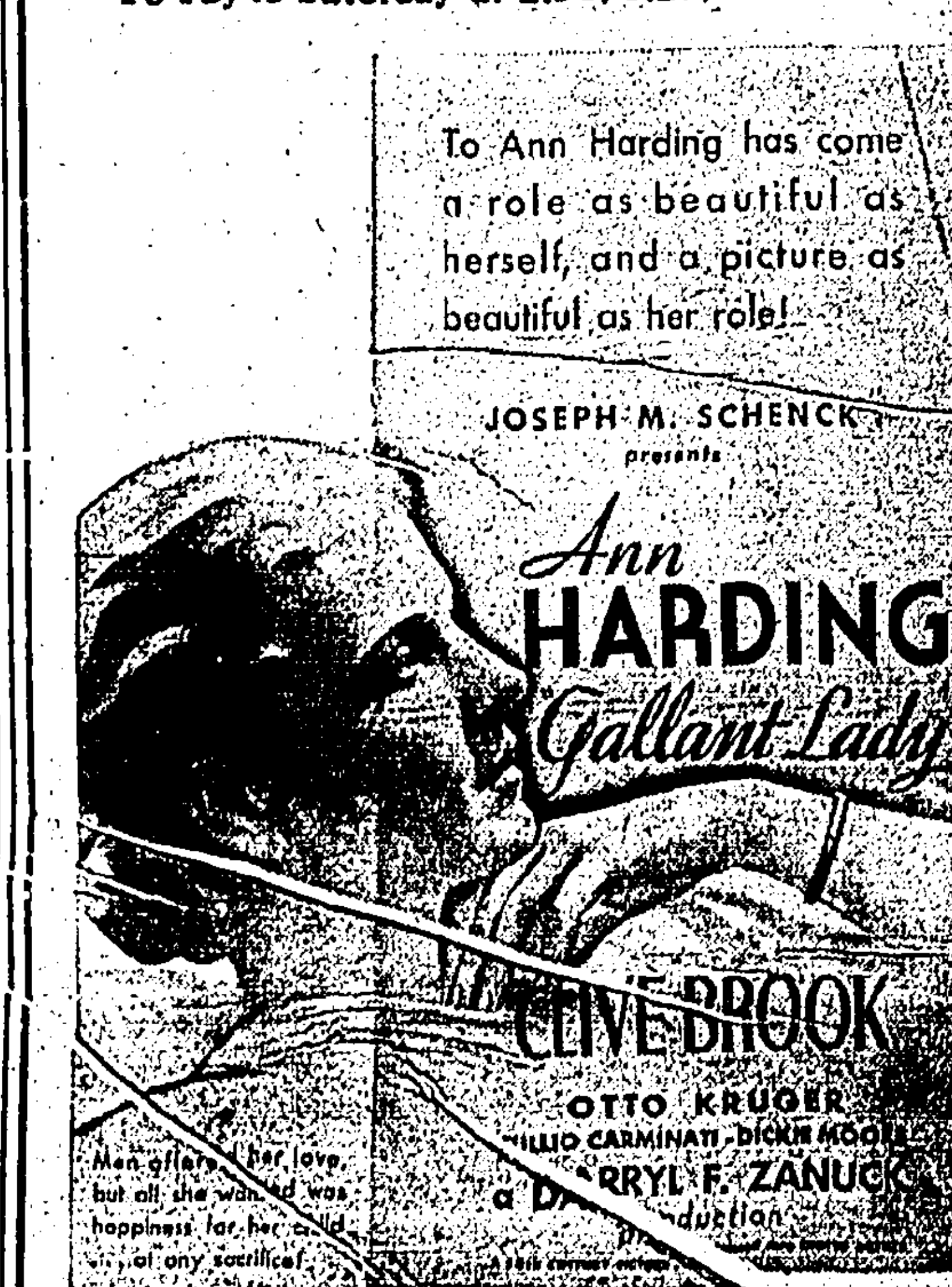
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